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Princess of Hearts Part 3

Diana

In the wake of Andrew Motherwell's revealing book and Diana's exposure on TV, the reluctant Princess suddenly found herself in the media spotlight. Suffering from enormous personal stress she had turned to star gazing shrink Mystic Meg for help.

Where are we going mommy?

We're going to see my analyst.

Oh no, not her again. She's a loony.

What's this? Oh no! The press are waiting outside, and I'm wearing trousers. Damn it!

More than anything she yearned for privacy.

At last I've managed to burn off the press and my police escort. Alone at last!

But everywhere she went pepperami photographers lay in wait. Life became a never ending game of cat and mouse. And Diana was the cheese.

Unknown to her pursuers, Diana was hiding a tragic secret. Under the terrific glare of the public spotlight the fragile Princess had begun to wilt. She was suffering from a rare skin condition known as celluloid, caused by over exposure of the legs to camera flash lights.

The only cure was exercise, and so every day Diana headed to an exclusive Chelsea health club where she could work out in privacy, away from the prying eyes and lenses of the press.

Diana called her press secretary from the gym.

Cancel all my public engagements! Everything! I'm retiring from public life, starting from NOW!

Oh, and tell the picture editor at the News of the World I'll be using the dumbbells by the pool in about thirty minutes.

That's it love... let's see those eyes... perfect!

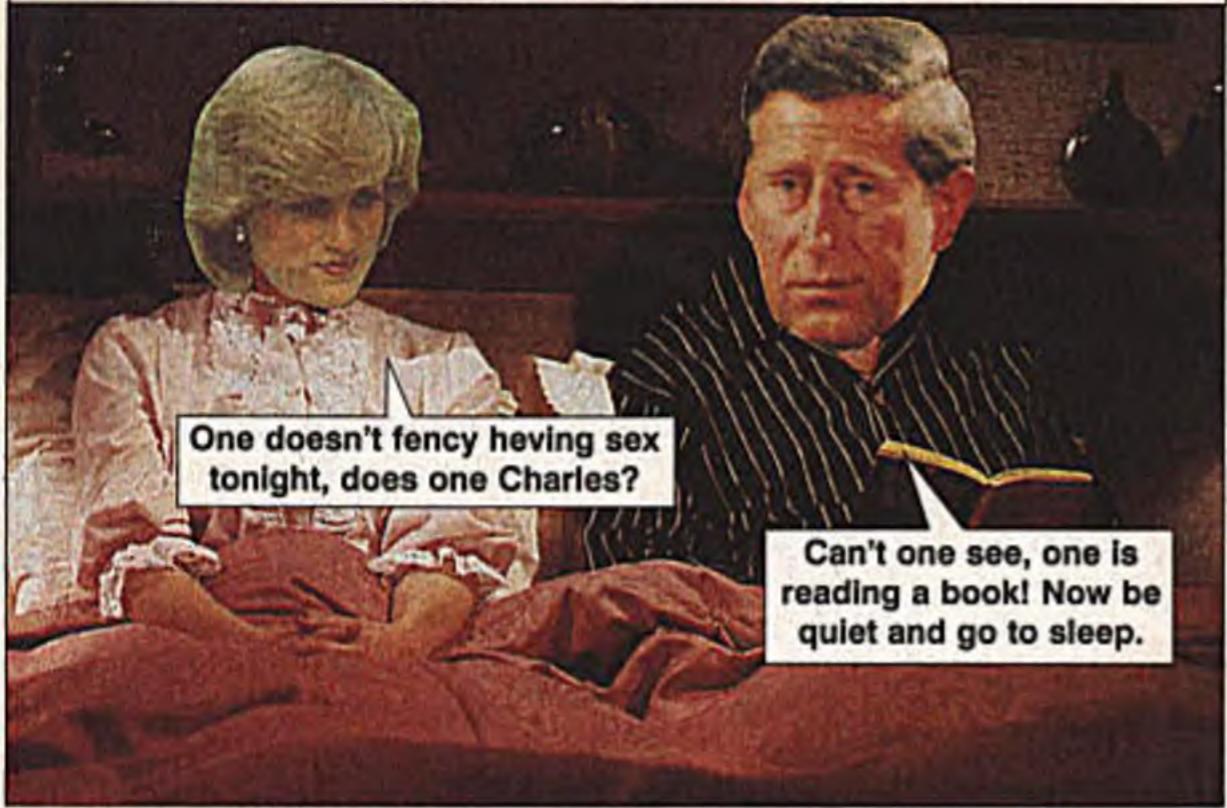
Sky News Di. Can you give us a little sexy grunt as you lift your arm love?

I've had enough of this life on the run, constantly running and hiding from the press.

I've made my mind up. I'm going to cancel all my public duties, and I'm going to do it today!

Turn this way a little Di... that's great!

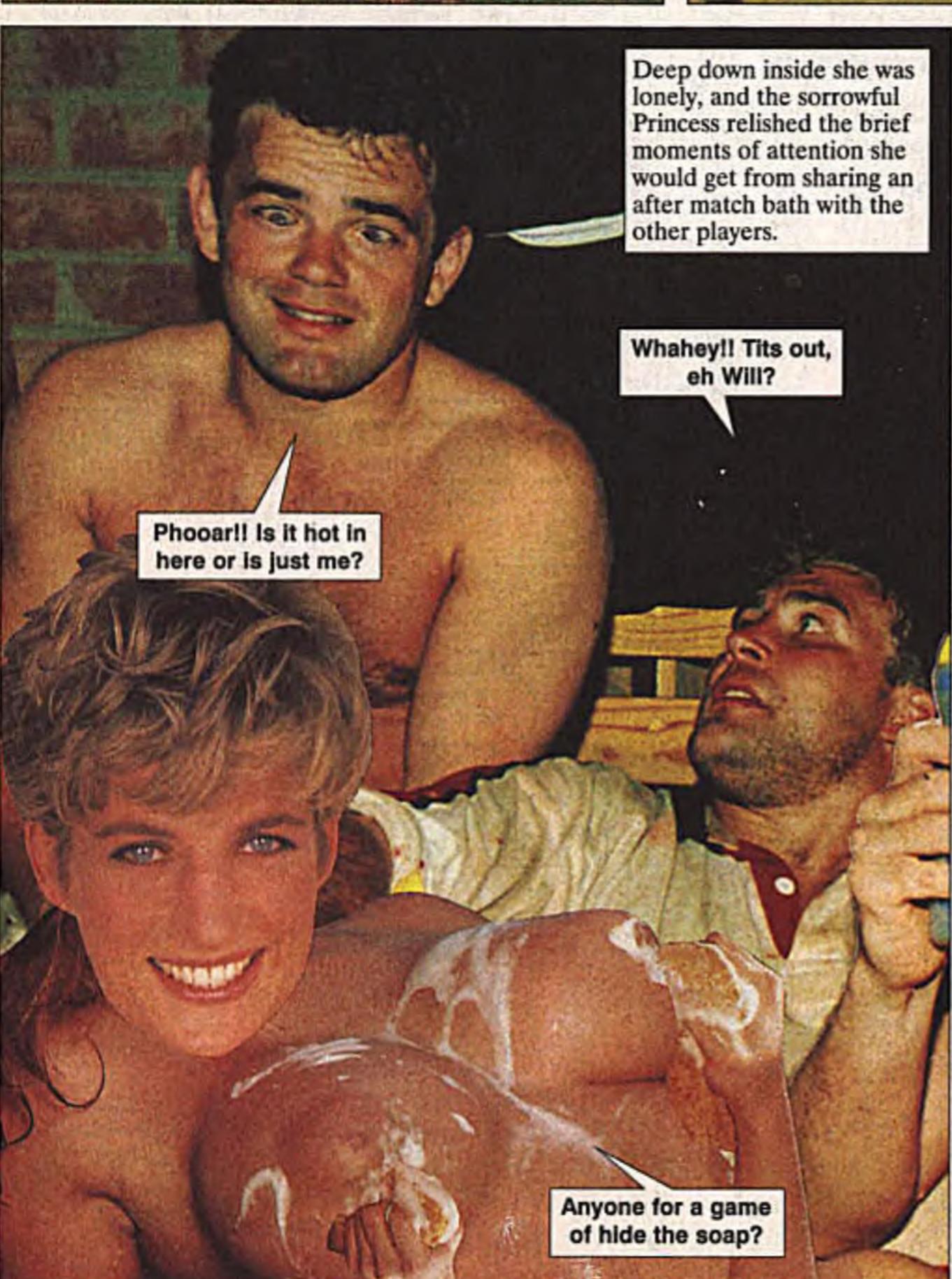
The sparkle had gone from the Royal relationship. Diana longed to be loved, but in bed Charles was moody and unresponsive.



The young Prince was given England captain Will Carling for his birthday, and Carling set about teaching the future king to play rugby. But the Prince was a reluctant pupil.



Deep down inside she was lonely, and the sorrowful Princess relished the brief moments of attention she would get from sharing an after match bath with the other players.



But one day Will's second division TV presenter wife Julia caught the couple emerging from the changing rooms together.



But despite Will's denials, a special relationship was developing between the Princess and the dashing rugby hero. And as she left, Diana slipped her card into Carling's pocket.



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Diana
The Horny Princess 0071 470 240
I'll pamper you in my State Apartments. Kensington area. All services available.

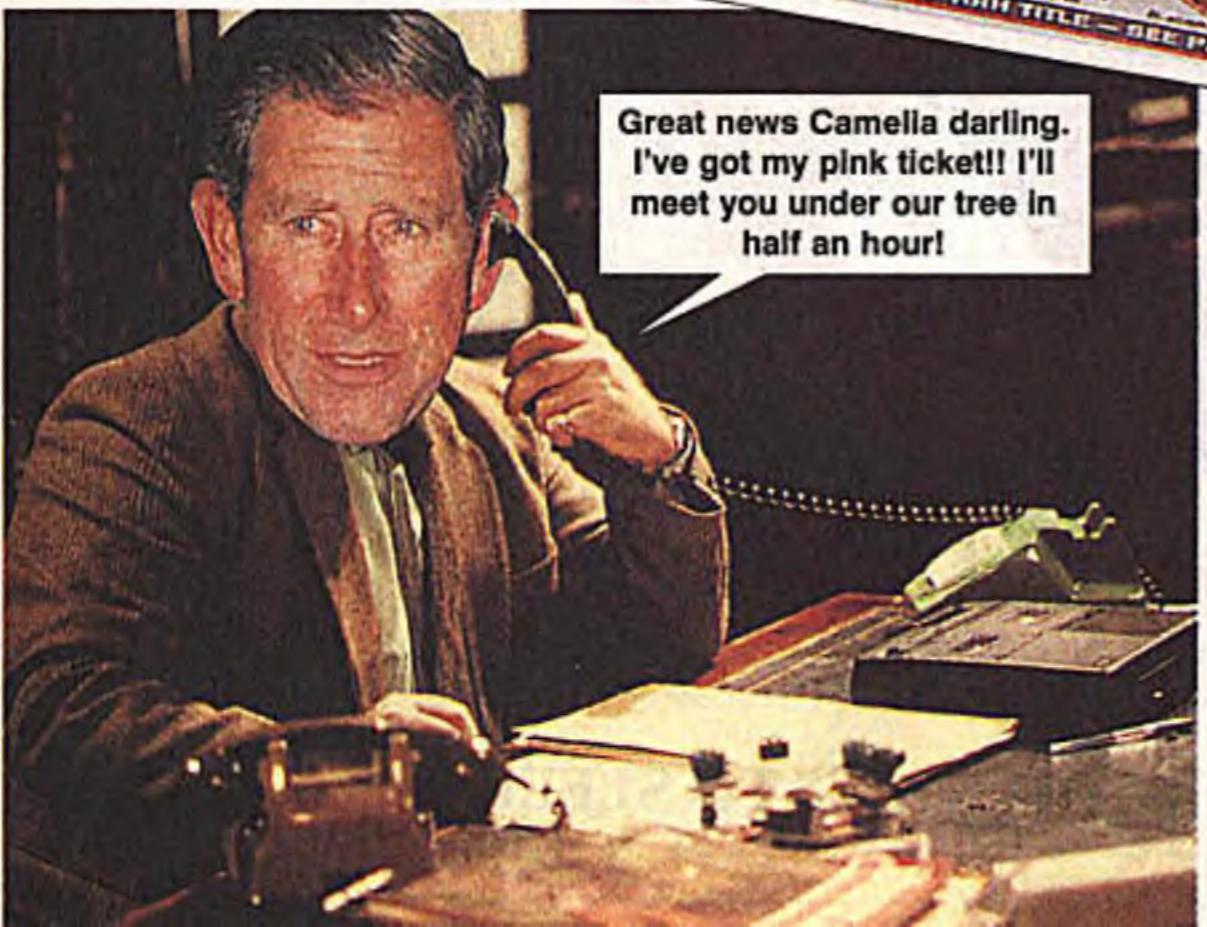
Press speculation over the breakdown of the Royal marriage reached a crescendo and a special Royal summit was called behind closed doors at Buckingham Palace.



The Queen had decided enough was enough. Determined to end the gossip once and for all she headed straight for Kensington Palace for a showdown with the Waleses.



A £15 million divorce settlement was precious little consolation for a girl whose only dream in life was to be the Queen, a dream which cruelly died on Friday, July 12th 1996, when the Royal divorce became final. Diana was devastated, her life lay in ruins. Meanwhile Charles was in high spirits...



Charles celebrated the divorce with a holiday. As in the past, when Charles flew off on holiday he always travelled alone. Like his trip to Scotland a few years previously.



Travelling with their loyal nanny Tiggy 'Legs' Burke was a routine that the children had got used to.



Meanwhile Charles had a bumpy landing at a Scottish airport...

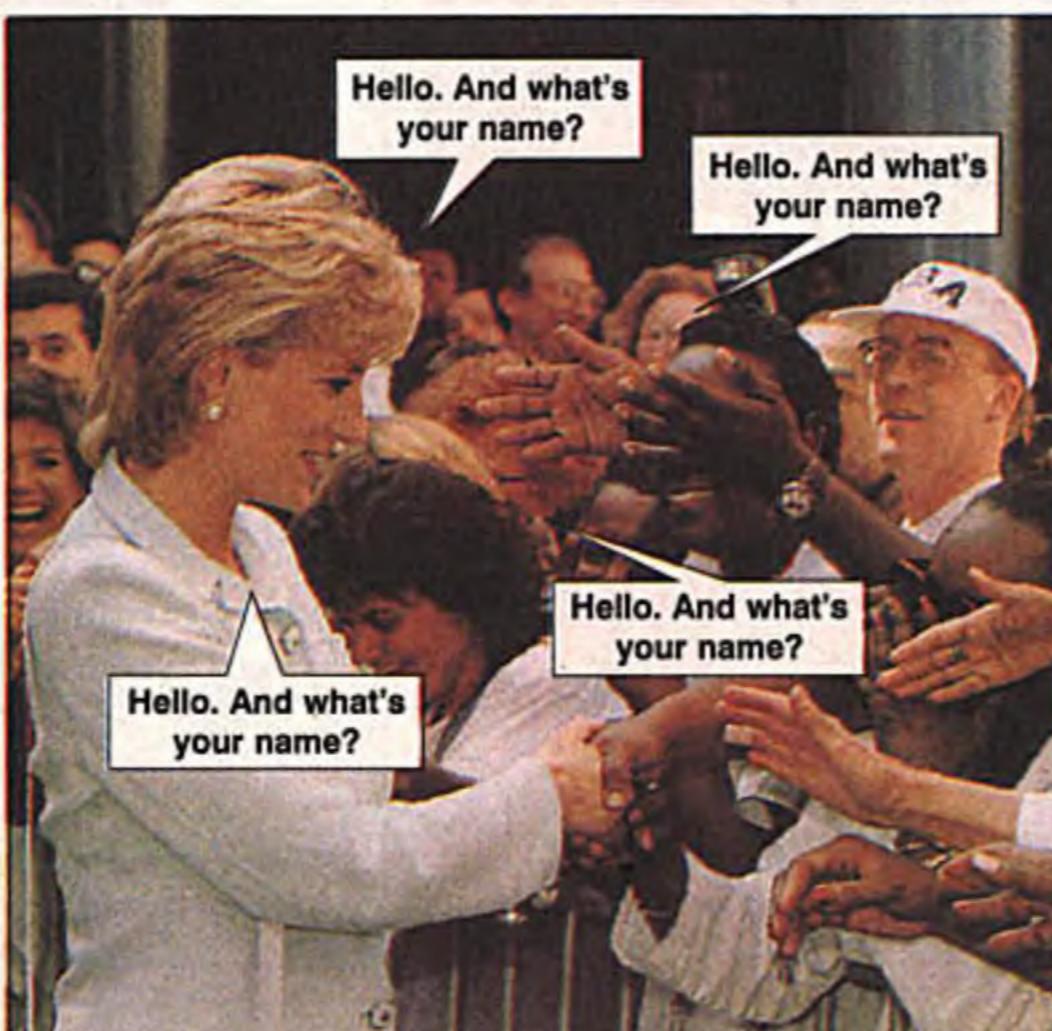


After the divorce Diana took a much needed holiday, but her life seemed empty and without purpose.



Diana had never felt so alone. Not even in the past when she'd felt really alone on previous occasions. Alone and unloved, she cried herself to sleep.

The next morning she decided to throw herself into her charity work...



One day Di was visiting a hospital when suddenly...

Quick. She's having a heart attack! Get her some oxygen.

Hello. And what's your name?

Is there a doctor in the house?

Without thinking Di stepped forward to help.

She's stopped breathing. Get me 20cc's of adrenalin and some scissors. I'm going to have to open her up.

The operation had been a complete success, and Diana briefed the hospital staff before she left. She returned to visit the patient and her doctor the following day.

As Di sprang into action a passing television crew caught the life and death drama as it unfolded live on camera.

The operation was watched live on television by millions of poor people all across the world. They had nothing but admiration for the brave Princess who had stepped in to save the young girl's life.

She's amazing! So kind... So caring!

Goodness gracious me!

Yes, I think she does a wonderful job.

The patient had only seconds to live as she was wheeled into the operating theatre. Di knew that the poor girl had no medical insurance, but she carried on regardless. Under the glare of the television lighting she bravely carried out a difficult heart bypass operation. One slip and the young girl would have died.

The fickle British public may have cast her aside, but as far as the poor, the underprivileged and the needy people of the world were concerned, Diana was still very much their Princess of Hearts.

Yes Miss Diana.

Okay, change the dressing once a day, and don't let her eat any solids for eight hours.

She'll feel a bit groggy when she wakes up, but she should be back on her feet in a day or two.

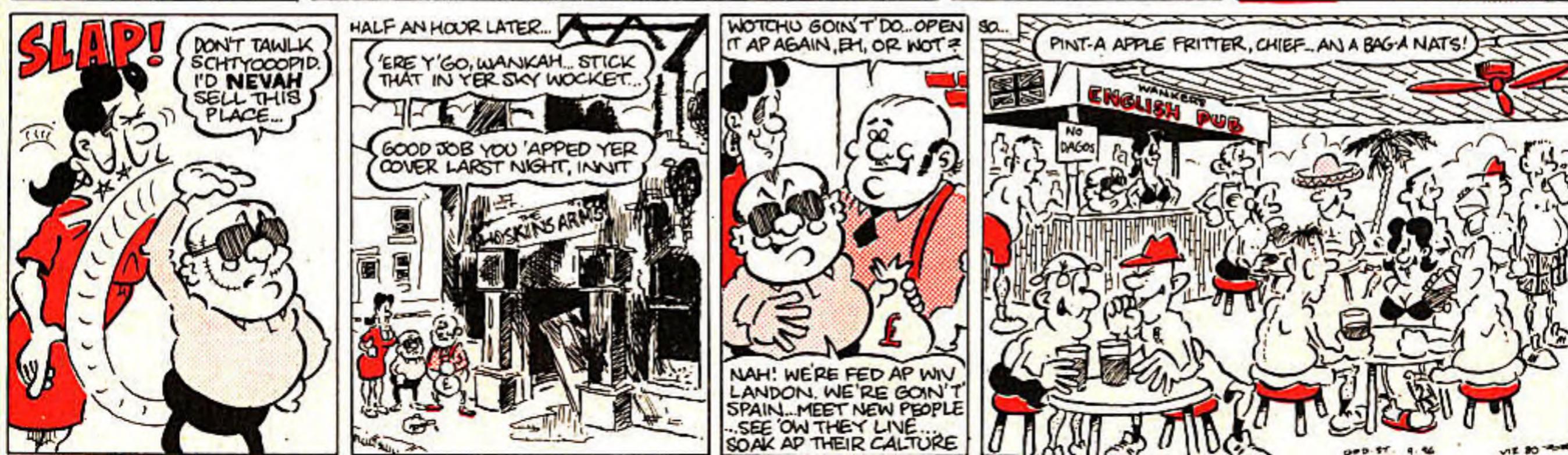
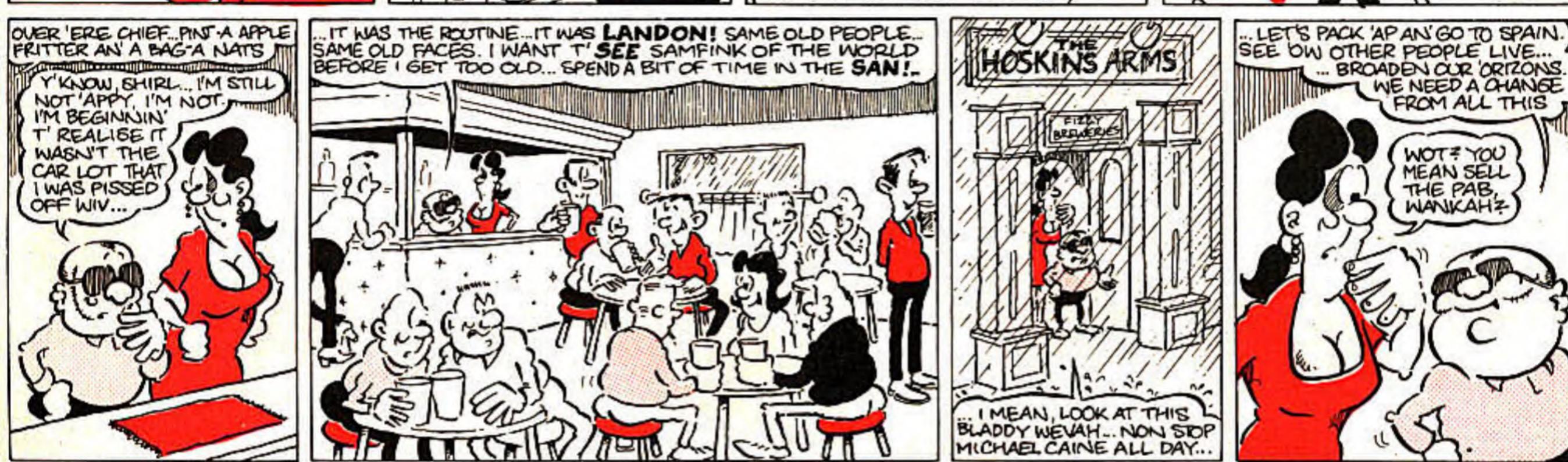
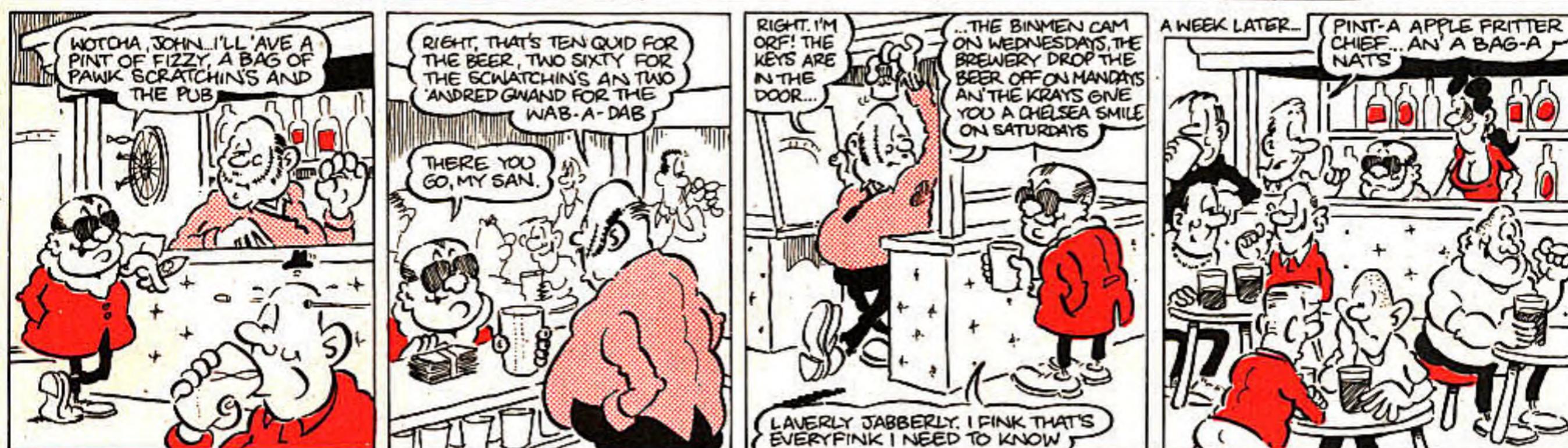
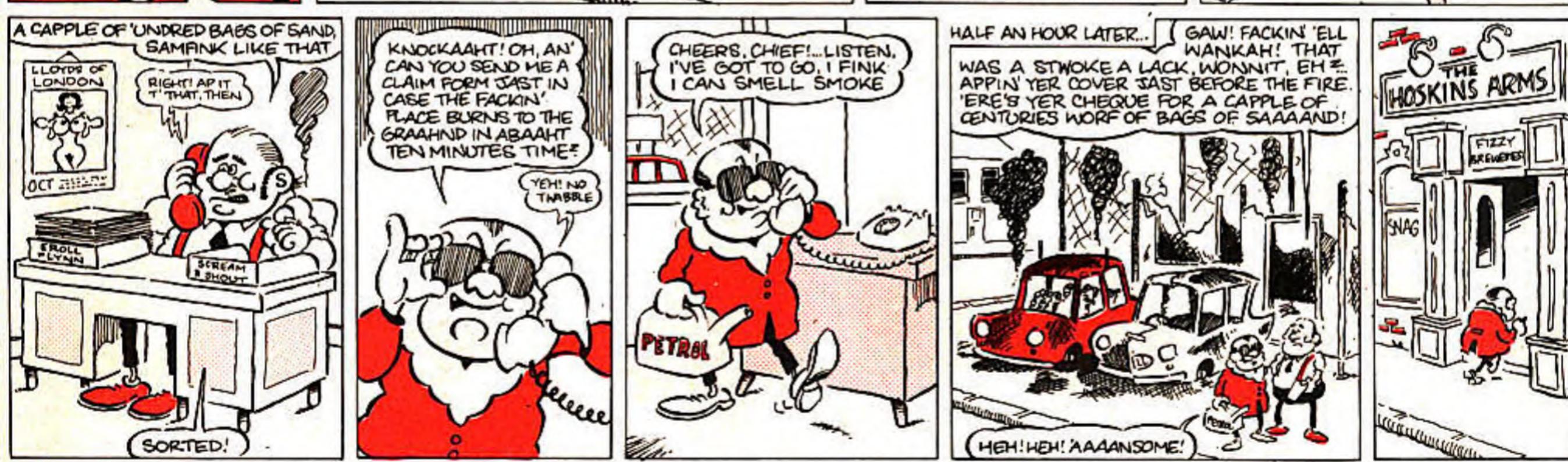
There was nothing we could do. If it wasn't for Princess Diana you would have died. You owe your life to this woman.

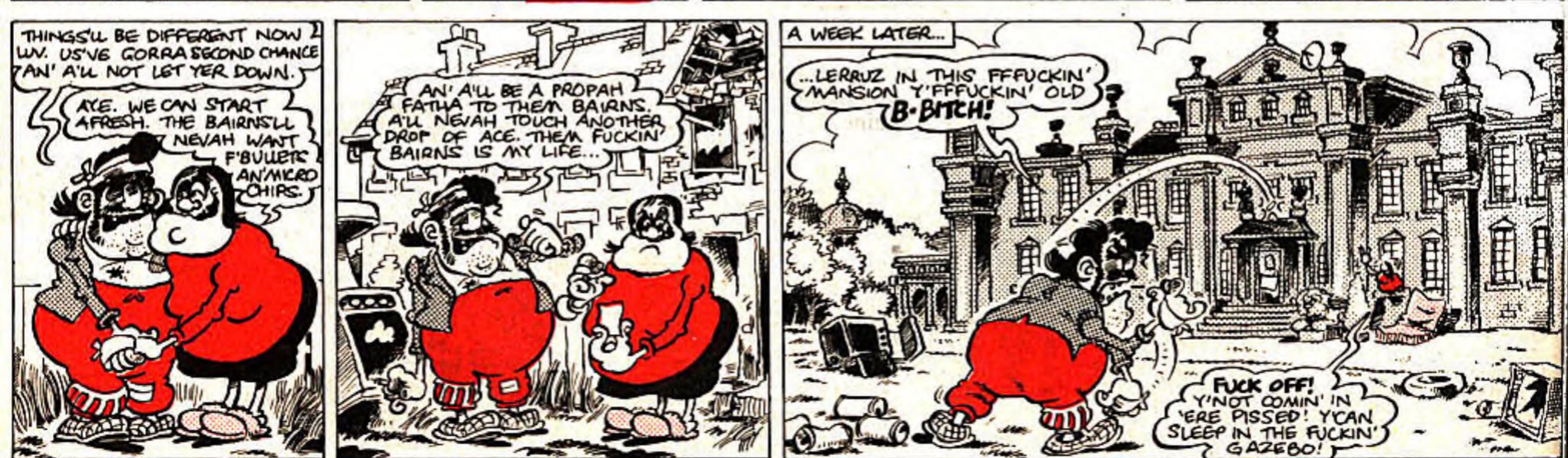
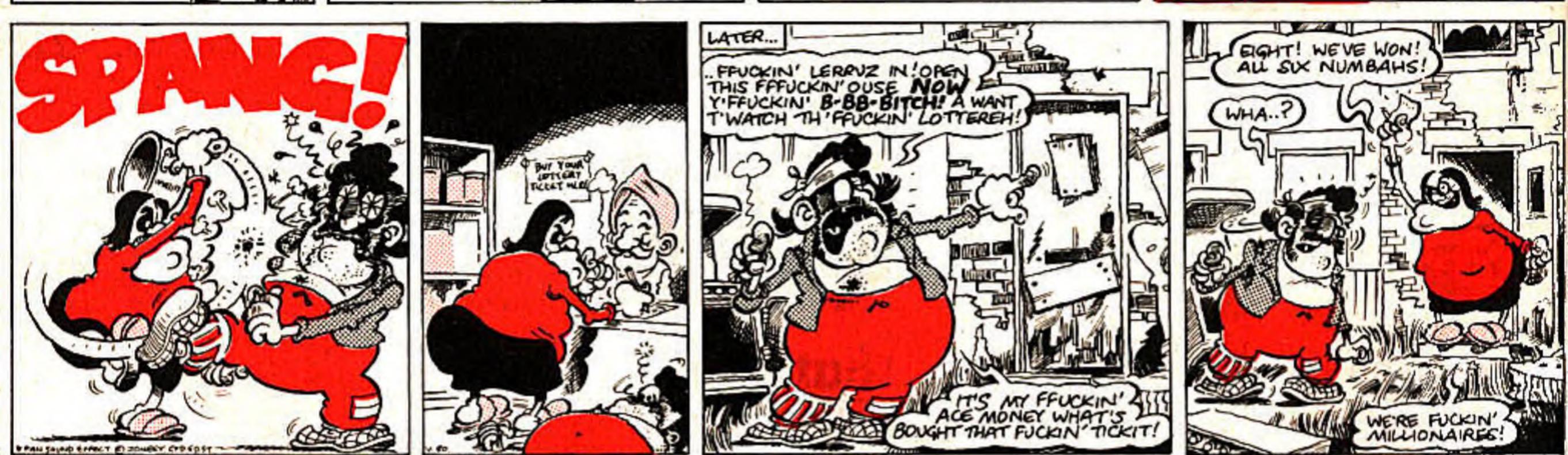
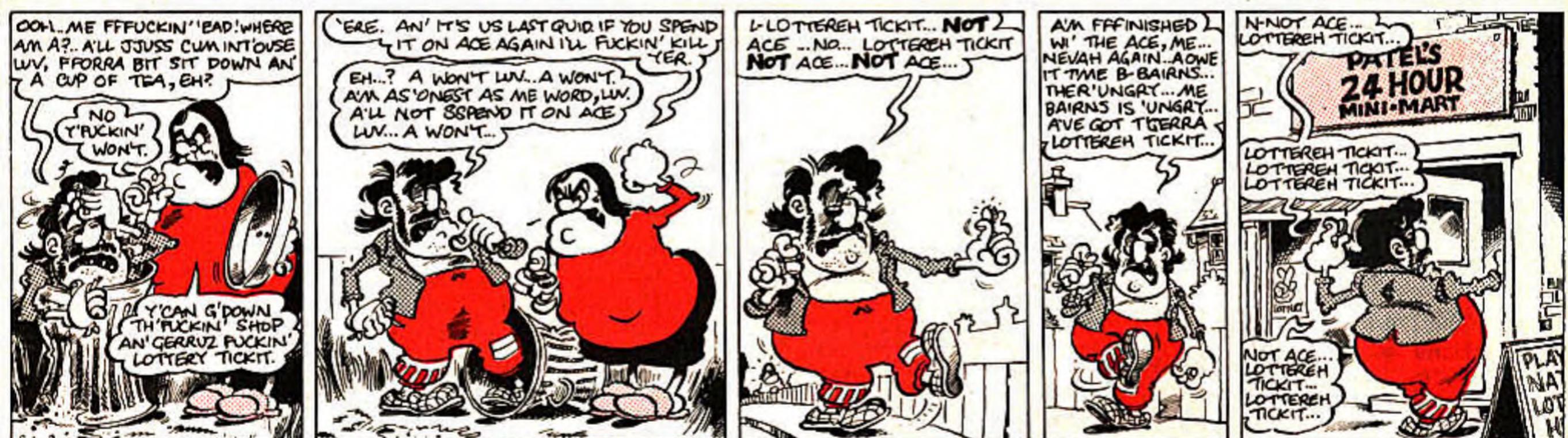
How can I possibly thank you Diana?

Oh, there's no need. I was just doing what anyone would have done.

Cruel fate and cruel people may have robbed you of the crown, Diana. But to me, and to poor, ill people everywhere, you will always be a Queen. The Queen of our Hearts!

COCKNEY WANKER







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Letterbooks

Olympic shames

□ The 1996 Olympic Games in Atlanta were a disaster in terms of organisation. Transport arrangements were in turmoil, and we even heard of bus drivers getting lost on route to events. Surely this strengthens the case for Manchester staging a future Olympic Games. After all, the city already has a transport infrastructure fully geared to coping with large influxes of supporters visiting from far away.

James McHenry
Bristol

□ What a con these Scotch Eggs are. I ate sixteen the other day and didn't feel slightly drunk. I doubt whether there's any whisky in these things at all.

U. Dockrat
Marsworth

□ If my husband Gary Stewart is reading this issue of Viz in bed, as he usually does, will he please not giggle or laugh every few minutes as I'm trying to get to sleep. If he keeps me awake again I'll stick it in a shredder. And I don't mean the comic.

Garry's loving wife Sheila,
Lightwater, Surrey

□ Hooray for British supermarkets. Despite being forced by the Brussels bureaucrats to sell milk by the half litre instead of the pint, they have bravely refused to bring the price down accordingly. So when we buy a fangled new "half litre" of Euro milk, we still pay the same price as a good old British pinta. So what if we end up with slightly less milk? It's one in the eye for Brussels!

Colonel Blink
Dundee

□ Surely if the budget for 'Stars In Their Eyes' was marginally increased they could hire the original artists to perform their hits badly, instead of getting a bunch of misguided amateur impressionists to do it for them.

Timothy Hamilton-
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magazine. Take it to a far off land. There has been child murders and even perverts in this country, and your magazine is telling people to carry on, despite the murders. My son is 24 years old and he doesn't agree with me. I told him that no filthy dirty magazine should be published, and be so offensive to our royal family and famous people. I have always looked at books and magazines for my sons but never in this world of ours would I buy a dirty filthy magazine as your disgusting Viz. And I hope the House of Commons, the Prime Minister and the House of Lords will agree with me.

A mum of 2 sons
Name & address withheld



□ When Cliff Richard's dad told him to be a bachelor boy, he didn't necessarily mean he had to stay in all the time and read The Bible. He could conceivably have wanted him to go out on the piss every night and shag loads of women.

Rowland Lee
Nottingham

□ Enclosed is a picture of my balls. Please print it as it would give me great pleasure for them to appear on the Letterbooks page.

Nicholas England
Peckham, SE15



□ £1.50 for Viz! Fuck off!!! I can get eight cans of Ace for £1.49. Which would you choose?

Chris
Edinburgh

P.S. My wife Winnie lettuce in. Hibs for the cup. Rangers scumbags.

□ How do the sceptics who say there's no evidence of the "paranormal" explain these people who frequently "appear" before magistrates? If we can't trust a magistrate, who can we believe?

John Simpson
Weymouth

□ Here's another late entry for your Viz look-alike's competition. Mr Logic and Cockney Wanker standing side by side, as seen in our local newspaper.

Mr & Mrs Oosuityousir
Sittingbourne

□ At Eurostar's Waterloo station I spotted a sign saying 'No Trolley's Beyond This Point'. What a splendid marketing idea. I'm sure the sight of girls bending down to pick up their luggage with their fannies on show will encourage more people to use the service. Surely this little piece of puerile innuendo is worth a fiver?

C. T.
London



That's us told

Please take this letter seriously. I have banned my son from buying your magazine. I find Viz insulting very rude to our royal family and famous people. If you must print dirty offensive and rude remarks and filthy pages of such dirt, I rather you all went on a Desert Island to print your magazine, and then it can all be sent down to the bottom of the sea. I have never in my 49 years seen such a filthy offensive dirty

I'm in the nick and I don't get many letters at all and I'm starting to get properly depressed. I'd like it if Viz could find me a pen pal. A woman aged 17 to 25 would be perfect. I'm a member of the Southampton Bad Boyz and my hobbies include rydin' it 100% 4 real. Yes yes trust me.

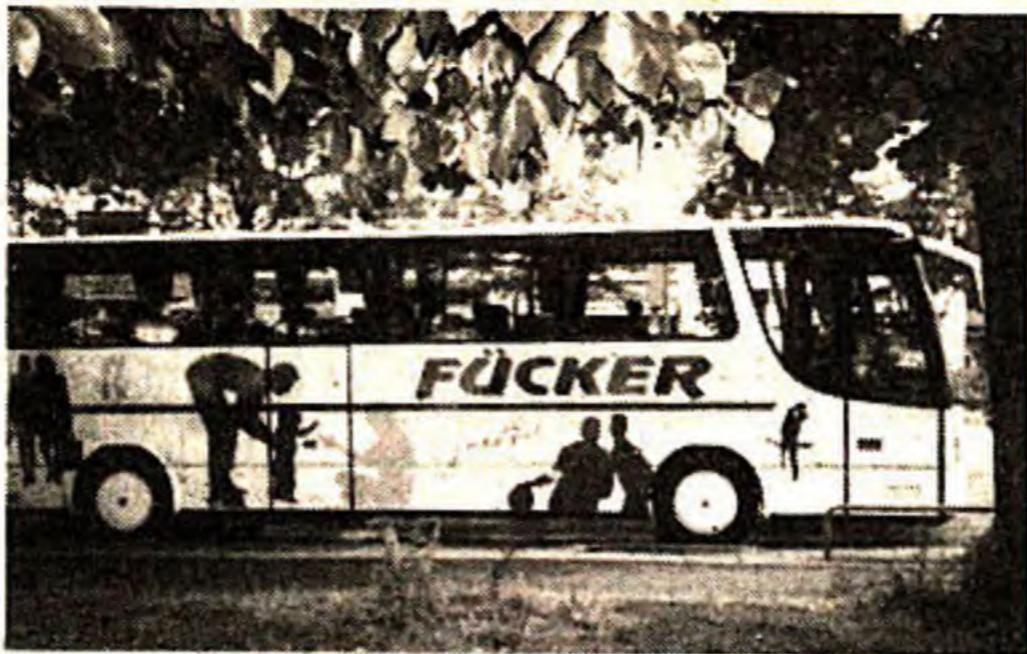
Ray Sheen
H.M. Remand Centre,
Reading

* Ray is also a keen artist and enclosed a picture of himself wearing a large hat, expensive 'Nike' training shoes, and smoking drugs. You can all write to him at wing AI-20, H.M.Y.O.I., Forbury Road, Reading, Berks. RG1 3HY, quoting his name and number TJ0813.

Big fucker

□ I'm a student and consequently waste my time (and the tax payer's money) farting around in Europe all summer. It was there on the continent that I spotted this rude bus (right). Do I win £10?

Alexandra Old
Leeds



I spotted this bus in Ireland. A diving special perhaps?

Phil Logie
North Shields



* Typical. You wait 80 issues for a rude bus, then two come at once.

Cock tale bar lifted

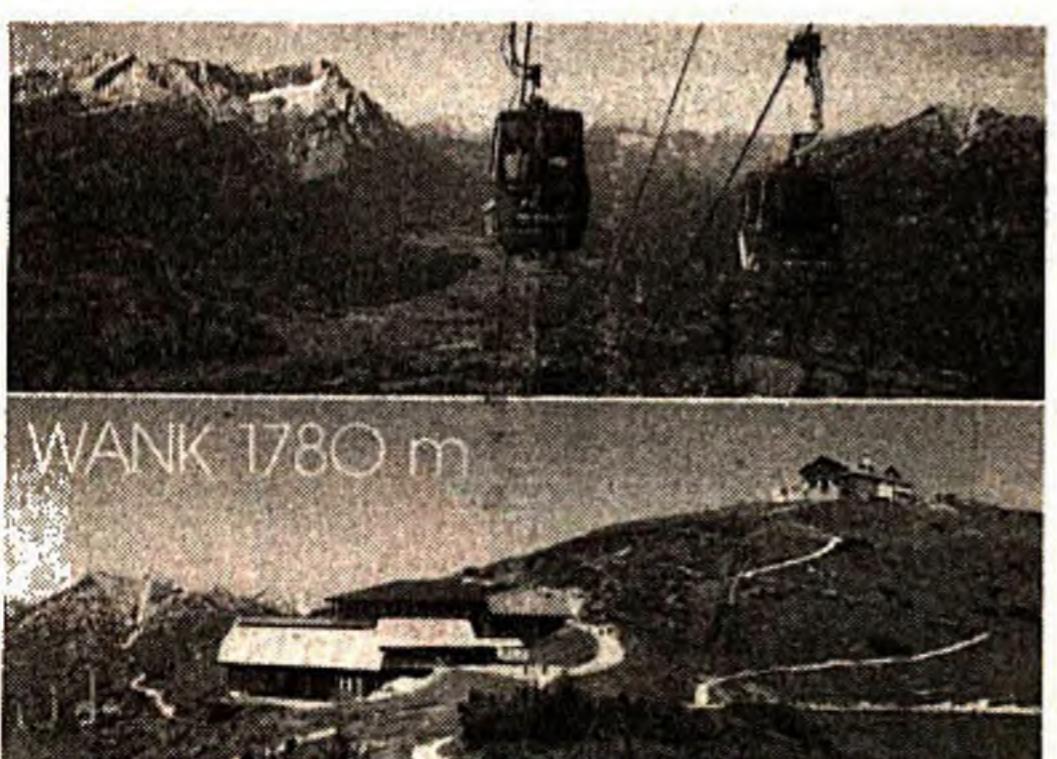
□ I just thought I'd let your readers know, it's no longer necessary to "keep the lid" on my girlfriend's antics in Spain with Sheldon the barman. I am now fully aware of what went on. Doubtless your readers are all aware that he had the biggest cock she'd ever seen, was the best shag she'd ever had, and that they did it four times in one night. Cos every fucker else is! The cock slapping tart.

Mr A. Moffat
Falkirk

Big Wank

□ Speaking of Germany, I spent £80 on a ferry ticket, £200 on petrol and £13 on a cable car ride to buy this post card. What an achievement, eh? (Wanking that far, not buying the post card).

Leon Manson
Canterbury



□ I spotted Jimmy Hill in 'Ritzys' night club (Fat Slags, issue 79). Do I win anything?

J. P. O'Rourke
Accrington, Lancs.



* Yes. You win a Jaguar car plus a weekend in Florida dolphin fishing with Jimmy Hill and his lovely wife, Mrs Hill.

□ I am writing to prove what a pedantic, smug little twat I am. In Nobby's Piles (issue 79) Mrs Piles purports to be reading Tolstoy's 'War And Peace' while her husband's bum grapes fry in the midday sun. However the final phrase in the book which she reads, "The most powerful weapon of ignorance - the diffusion of printed material", is definitely NOT the end of 'War And Peace', which ends on a complex note of personal consciousness. Mrs Piles then starts the book again, but in a second crass blunder on your part she reads out the opening line from 'Anna Karenina', a novel written by Tolstoy between 1874-76 (six years after he had completed 'War And Peace'). As the majority of your readers will no doubt be aware, the opening of 'War And Peace' is in fact a conversation in July 1805 between Anna Pavlova Schever and Prince Vasili about Napoleon's annexation of two Italian territories (Genoa and Lucca).

Simon Taylor
Bugbrooke, Northants.

□ Regarding your competition to find the Manchester United fan who lives nearest to Old Trafford. I live in York, which is only 50 miles from Manchester. Unfortunately I don't support Man United. I support York City who shagged United 3-0 in the Coca Cola Cup last year.

Garry Morris
York

□ I've been supporting Man United for a couple of years now and I am sick and tired of people taking the piss out of us. In the past ten years I've supported Blackburn, Leeds, Arsenal and Liverpool, and I never had any stick when I supported them.

Billy Bandwagon
London

□ Regarding your Man United supporters competition. I support Man United, and I live right next to Wembley Stadium, which is rather handy for watching them. We don't see much of Newcastle down here though. Never mind. Do I win the can of Boddies?

I.M.S.
Wembley, Middlesex





I am a die hard Man United fan and I live in the Borough of Greater Manchester. So called United fans like Gary Worthing of Fishguard (issue 79) should fuck off and support their local team instead of following the 'in crowd'.

Andy Cragg
Rochdale, Lancs.

* Believe it or not, Andy, Rochdale have a team of their own. They're called 'Rochdale', they play in Division Three, and you'll find their ground in Sandy Lane, Rochdale.

Who gives a toss who lives nearest to Old Trafford. I went there in the 60s, 70s and 80s, before these lot jumped the bandwagon. I remember when they played for fun and wore real shirts not this ridiculous fashion parade that we see nowadays. Who wants to stand on the terraces dressed like a bunch of humbugs. Keep your can of Boddies. I prefer Gladiator Bitter, real ale brewed up there on Tyneside.

Steve Hill
Leigh, Greater Manchester

Still on the subject of Manchester (yo, large it up, born in the North, 061 state of the nation, etc.) I live three miles from Old Trafford, but don't support Man United. Funnily enough Jason Orange lives just across the road from me, and I don't like Take That either. Perhaps some clever reader could explain this in terms of inverse ratio elasticity proportions, or something.

Jim Loughran
Manchester M15

I live one mile from Old Trafford and support United along with most of the other 2.5 million people in Greater Manchester. If we attract support from all over the place its because we're the greatest team on Earth. Why not offer a bottle of Brown to any Newcastle fan who was supporting them six years ago? If you were proper fans you wouldn't cry every time you lose, you pathetic Geordie cunts.

John Dunne
Chorlton, Manchester

* Well done John. You win. The can of Boddingtons will be on its way to you (as soon as we've finished pissing in it.)

Naval pedant

On your competition page (Viz 79) you accused me of selling the 'Belgrano' to the Argies, then sinking it. I might have sunk the twat, but I never sold it to the Argies. As your readers is doubtless aware, the 'Belgrano' was formerly the 'USS Phoenix', a United States Navy 'Brooklyn' class cruiser, and NOT a battleship. It was sold to the Argentine by the ham shanks in 1951. "Clapped out" it may have been, but it was still armed with 23 fucking great guns, all bigger than anything carried by the British Task Force. So stick that in your pipe and smoke it.

Lady Thatcher
London

* Thanks also to Mike Owen and Andrew Siviter who wrote making the same point.

Channel hopping mad

I write to complain about your 'Weekend in Caister' competition (issue 79), or more specifically your attitude to fans of 'Cult' television. I am a fan of these programmes and am neither a nerd or an anorak.

In fact I went out three times last month, and one day I even spoke to a girl at the bus stop. Although all she said was "Fuck off". I would write more but BBC2 is showing an old episode of 'The Tomorrow People' this afternoon and that Chinese bird makes me shoot my load.

Tony 'Klingon' Oborne
Greenhithe, Kent

Blue beret grumble

Cocky pedantic wanker Mark Bradley (issue 79) says the only blue berets worn in the British armed services are the dark blue worn by the Navy and the light blue of the RAF regiment. Bollocks. What about the really light blue ones worn by the Army Air Corps?

Sig. Richie Horan
The Army

For the benefit of the previous correspondent, and Mr Bradley (issue 79), the Army Air Corps berets are not "really light blue". They are SKY blue.

Kevin Showaddywaddy
Enfield

I don't wish to appear a cunt, but it is not just the RAF Regiment that wear a blue beret, it is the entire RAF. And the Army Air Corps wears neither a "really light blue" or a "sky blue" beret. The berets in question are powder blue.

J.P.
Op Resolute, BFPO 553

No they aren't. They're LIGHT blue. I should know. I spent fifteen years in the Army Air Corps.

Simon Hammerschmidt
Southfields

Never mind light blue. DARK blue berets are worn not only by the RAF but also by the Royal Corps of Signals, Royal Engineers, Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers, Trainee Royal Marines and Royal Logistic Corps.

J Troop
British Army

P.S. Do we all win £5? There's ten of us.

* No, cos there was a bomb scare near our offices recently and the Royal Logistics Corps arrived from Catterick wearing GREEN hats. (Incidentally it wasn't a bomb, it was a box of strawberries.)

There are not six parachute regiments as stated by Mark Bradley in issue 79. There are seven, including '7 Para', Royal Horse Artillery. (And I'm looking for female pen friends by the way. Cheers).

William Hunter
Stables, Thorny Island, 47
Regiment RA,
Baker Barracks, Emsworth,
Hants. PO10 8DH

Ah yes, but the 15th Battalion was amalgamated a few years ago and became 15 Company of the 4th Battalion. So that means there ARE six after all.

Philip Lovegrove
Edinburgh

"Shiny kettle, nice and hot, what back issues have we got?"(left)

"Lovely lady in a bra, the back issues remaining are...

39 40 53 57 59 60

61 62 63 64 65 66 67

70 72 73 76 77 78

Phooar!! Aladdin, played by our principle bra and pants-omime girl,

is a babe who'd give any fella wood! She's warming up the kettle to make a '46 Double D' cup of tea! I'll have two lumps please! Those big one's at the front! Phew!! With parts like that this young actress would give any

Jack a beanstalk, and turn fellas heads.. again... Dick Whittington... Or something like that. Oh yes she would! Anyway, if you want to buy any back issues circle the numbers above, then fill in the form and send it off, together with your money.



Overseas orders please pay in sterling with a cheque drawn on a UK bank. And overseas customers please add 20% of whatever total you've arrived at so far. So, for example, if its a tenner you simply add 50p. No, wait a minute. That's not right...

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Happy clappy

□ Bollocks. 15 Para was not amalgamated into 4 Para. When 4 & 15 were amalgamated, they took the '4' from 4 Para, and the 'Para' from 15 Para to come up with an all new battalion called '4 Para'.

Mark Roberts
Liss, Hants.

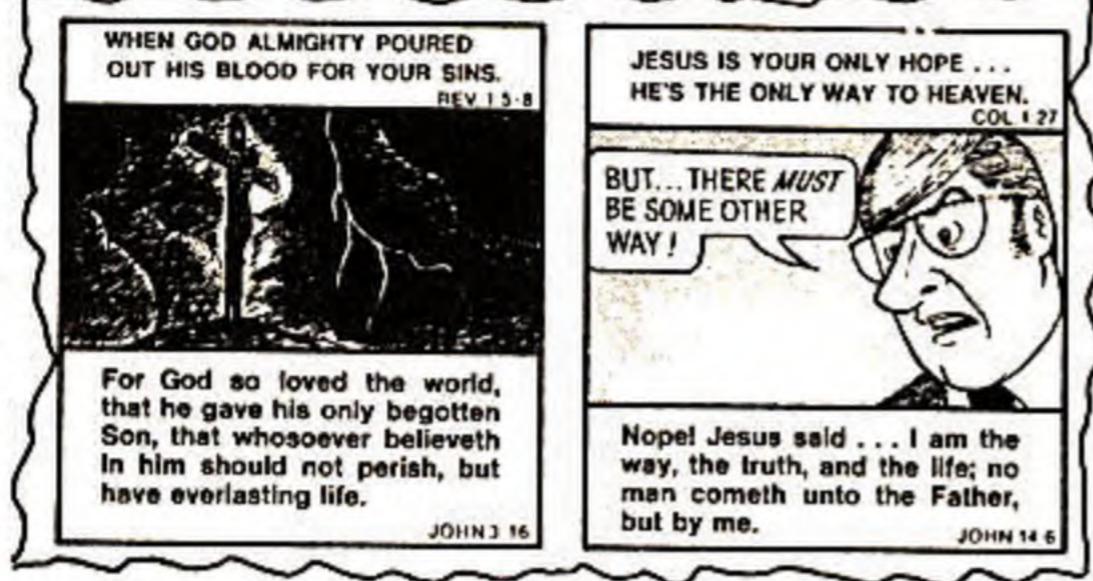
* Thanks to the many others who wrote in to correct Mr Bradley, including Mr Bradley who wrote in to correct himself. If any other squaddies are in doubt about what colour their hats are, or what number Para they are, perhaps they could ask their commanding officer and keep us out of it. Thanks.

□ Hang on a minute. I hadn't finished. I also refer to a letter from Mr P.G. Jones (issue 79) regarding the legal implications of advice given by Gerry Marsden in his sixties hit 'Walk On'. He refers to the case of "Hedley Byrne versus Heller". Mr Jones has clearly been watching too much LA Law, as in English law we never use the term 'versus'. I should know, as I'm a law student, as well as a TA Paratrooper. (Not bad, considering I'm as thick as fuck and as soft as shit.)

Mark Roberts
Liss, Hants.

□ I was extremely happy to read in issue 78 of your sadistic magazine that two people (Messrs. W. E. Walker and Yarm man) were attempting to be serious with you. I cannot understand why any Christian readers actually read or purchase such diatribe that you "produce". How about a picture of you all having a good burn in Hell? I enclose some comics (which are better drawn than yours). Perhaps we could have a competition. Viz versus Church artists! But I don't want to give you too many ideas. So I'll stop.

Mr Ernie Ball
Ponty Pool, Gwent

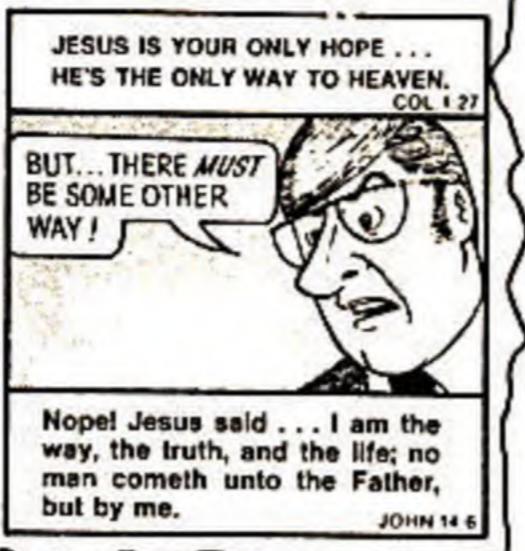


* Thanks Ernie. By putting your message in a cartoon form - a simple language that our misguided readers will understand - I'm sure you've got the Christian message across.

□ Fuck me. I'm from Gwent as well. Anyway, these southerners who right to your mag saying that northern birds are ugly don't know what they're on about. I'm Welsh, and therefore neutral, and I recently spent a weekend in Newcastle. All the clubs were stuffed with class fanny, especially that one on a big boat by the bridge. If you want ugly women, come to Wales, mate. It's full of sea monsters.

R.S.
Machen, Gwent

□ I have been following the highly intellectual North versus South debate on these pages in recent issues. There is a similar debate in the United States, I live in New York which is in the north, and



we hate southerners more than we hate foreign tourists (and we really hate foreign tourists). I visited England recently and in my opinion men from the north are better looking than men from the south, which is also the case in the States. And I should know, because I'm a gorgeous, sexy American bird like what you get on Baywatch and Charlie's Angels.

Rys Miller
Brooklyn, New York

P.S. Your beer is better than ours, but why do you eat curry so much?

□ "The least said the soonest mended" or so my grandfather used to say. When my television broke down the other day I decided to follow this advice by ringing the TV repair company and saying nothing. Two months later my television set remains broken and I have heard nothing from the repair company. If nothing else this proves that my grandfather talked bollocks.

H. Rug
Battersea

Cunt Quickies

I offered Robbie Coltrane a copy of a fanzine I was selling in a pub in Newcastle ten years ago and he tore it in half and threw it over his head. Fat Scotch cunt.

A. Grived
Newcastle

MY dad called Willie Carson a cunt after he ran over his foot, splitting his shoe, at Redcar races in the 70s.

Rod Kirkbride
Maryport, Cumbria

WE were enjoying a drink with Tarby and Brucey in the clubhouse after a pro celebrity golf tournament, until Ronnie Corbett came in and told the club stewards to clear the bar of all members of the public. Short arse cunt.

C. Porteous
Stamford, Lincs.

I was 9 when The Goodies filmed 'Gunfight at the OK Tea Rooms' in St Just, Cornwall. When I asked my favourite Goodie Bill Oddie for an autograph he told me to piss off and tried to kick me up the arse.

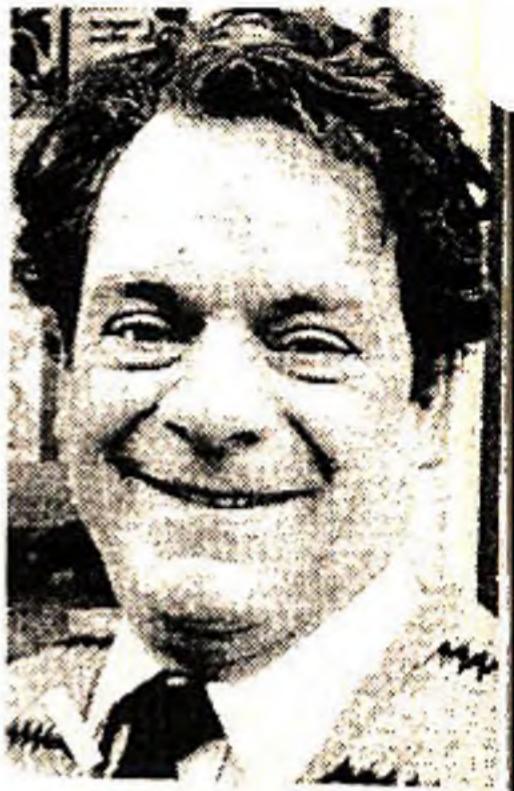
S. Temple
Bodmin

Our Cu

A Touch of Wind

□ I once played a policeman with one pathetic line in 'A Touch of Frost'. Throughout filming I had to put up with David "perfick" Jason's incessant belching. At one point he deliberately burped in a make-up girl's face as a joke. Flatulent cunt.

Jamie Seftor
Leed



□ Your correspondent M. Young (issue 79) nominated Michael Crawford as a celebrity cunt because he allegedly got him the sack. As your readers are doubtless aware, in the performing arts industry the moments prior to curtain up are critical to the success of a show. If at that time the lazy twat was hanging around having a smoke and not in his correct position, he deserved the sack. I say Crawford is NOT a cunt.

Captain Funkysmel
Grantham

□ Andy McCluskey out of OMD, who already stands accused of being a wanker, is a cunt as well. Fifteen years ago at the London Apollo he greeted the audience by saying "Thanks for the slow hand clap, you patient shits!". He then treated us to his silly dance, but was a sulky bastard for the rest of the evening. (And I suspect he might have had a wank in the dressing room afterwards, but I can't prove it.)

Martin Tiernan
London SW3

I'm that elephant what Noel Edmonds had shot at his fuck awful TV theme park, and I reckon he's a cruel cunt.

That Elephant
Heaven

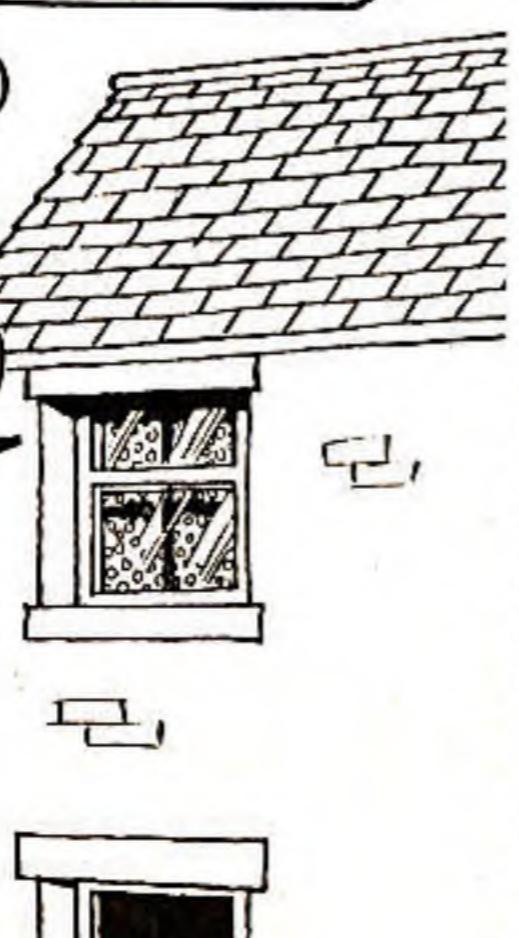
Famous Sports Commentators Wanking on their Girlfriend's Tits No.64 Kenneth Wolstenhome

THERE'S SOME JIZZ ON THE TITS...

SHE THINKS
IT'S ALL OVER...

EURGH!!

IT IS NOW!



□ "The least said the soonest mended" or so my grandfather used to say. When my television broke down the other day I decided to follow this advice by ringing the TV repair company and saying nothing. Two months later my television set remains broken and I have heard nothing from the repair company. If nothing else this proves that my grandfather talked bollocks.

H. Rug
Battersea

I was surprised to find Jeff Banks sitting in a room at Newcastle Polytechnic's Fashion Department. "Get out! Can't you see I'm examining", snapped the bobbling little cunt.

Angela D.
Whitley Bay

I was in the Hacienda club in Manchester and that ginger cunt Mick Hucknall gave my girlfriend a snotty look cos she's got hairy armpits.

Dylan Sawdoctor
Sale

CHARLIE Drake is a pint sized cunt. I had him in my taxi years ago and he didn't give me much of a tip.

Steve Bilboa
Lincoln

Cavalcade continues....

Cheggers plays the cunt

When I was 12 I was on a kids TV programme broadcast from Carlisle castle. I was asked to dance while Toto Coelo (a band who you don't hear much of nowadays) performed their hit single 'I eat cannibals'. I was dancing away, doing exactly as I'd been told, when suddenly the presenter Keith Chegwin appeared next to me and shouted "Move!" in an abrupt voice, gesturing with his thumb. I was really upset.



To be fair he was probably a pissed cunt at the time. I'm sure he wouldn't do a thing like that today.

M. McGladdery
Gateshead

In the last issue a cheeky bitch called Marie Maynard said she'd spoken to Paul Weller twice and had decided he was a cunt. She gave no reasons for this instant judgment. Well, by the same token I've read her letter twice and decided she's a ignorant slapper who's talking out of her fat arse. Paul Weller is a top geezer.

Angela Hannah
Catford, SE6

About six years ago I was in a tent in Morroco when I spotted John Leslie (off Blue Peter) and his then bird Catherine Zeta-Jones. Me and my mates couldn't keep our eyes off his darling buddy. He spotted us staring and came across. "I couldn't help notice you were looking at me", said the arrogant cunt before offering us his autograph!

K. Reid
Northumberland

I agree with Tango Man (issue 78). Lewis Collins is cunt. He used to boast about his SAS exploits and all his mates in the Regiment. Well I served in D Squadron in the early eighties and I never heard or saw the poncy, pouting thespian. Hardest man on television? He wouldn't last a round with Julian cutting Clary. And my wife's got a picture of him judging a dancing competition at some crap holiday club she visited in Greece. It's yours for £50.

Vimto
Address withheld

* We could probably get Lewis Collins in person for fifty quid.

My dad says there is no longer a Professionals Fan Club and the picture you printed in issue 79 was taken in 1979. That makes the person who sent it in a conning cunt, and seriously undermines the case for Mr Collins' defence. I say he IS a cunt.

Cliff Smith
Havant, Hants.

Lewis Collins used to live in an old ice cream at the back of the Birmingham Repertory theatre in the early seventies. I remember because it had 'Mr Cunty' written on the front.

A. J. Thrush
Moseley, Birmingham



Cunty and Doyle

My dad was called out to fix Lewis Collins' telly in the late seventies. Collins came to the door unshaven and wearing a white dressing gown, but despite having been dragged from his bed he was polite and civil, and even made my dad a cup of tea. It was rather milky, and had too much sugar in it, but making bad tea doesn't make him a cunt. Leave the man alone. He's a nice bloke. And incidentally, no, there weren't any sexy vixens hanging around the flat in skimpy night clothes.

Peter Kelly
Felixstowe

Southern Death Cunt

At a Sigue Sigue Sputnik gig in London I spotted Ian Astbury out of The Cult. I was a big fan cos I'd seen Southern Death Cult support Theatre of Hate and blow them off the stage. So when I saw him I excitedly rushed over to shake his hand. But he said I couldn't, cos he had a cigarette in it. The smart arsed cunt. Come to think of it we were both cunts for going to see Sigue Sigue Sputnik.

Simon Bradbury
St Albans, Herts.

I had a bit part in Spender during which I had to walk into school with Jimmy Nail's on-screen daughter. It was an unpaid part, so afterwards I decided to take a picture of Jimmy Nail as a souvenir. As soon as he saw my flash go off he said "Fuck off with that camera". Ugly cunt.

P.J.
Gateshead

P.S. If the girl who played his daughter is reading this I fancy her something rotten. Could you get me her name and number?



Crocodile cunt

I was working at a hotel in Northumberland when Jimmy Nail turned up to film an episode of Crocodile Boots or whatever he calls that dreadful programme. A few days beforehand a letter arrived confirming his visit, and asking staff if they would please refrain from looking at Mr Nail while he was on the premises. Stupid cunt.

Anne Employee
Hexham

* Sorry Anne. That's makes him a fucking arsehole, not a stupid cunt.

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Sally's Mother

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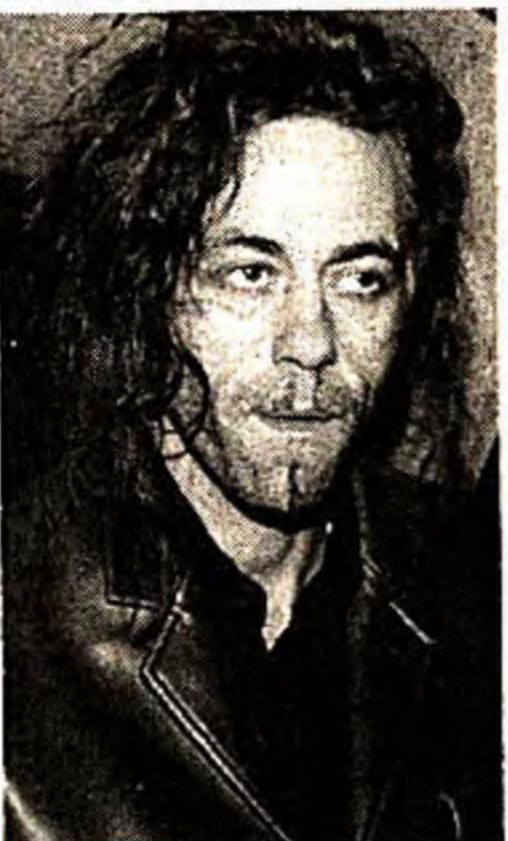
A WORD FROM YOUR LOCAL NEWSAGENT

Hello again. The shop's looking much tidier now. We've had a refit, new carpets, and I decided to move the fridge nearer the door, and put the sweets and crisps in racks along the wall. The papers are on a low shelf now instead of cluttering the counter. I'm sure trade will pick up as a result. Oh, did you know we're taking in dry cleaning now? Good idea eh? Hang on, here comes a customer. "Milk? No, sorry. We've sold out." Tsssh! Really. Expecting me to have milk at this time of day! Who's he kidding.

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Boomtown twat



□ I was moving some furniture out of our office when Janet Street Porter appeared and tried to push into the lift which was already full of furniture. Reluctantly she stood and waited for the lift to be emptied. When a young lad asked for her autograph she bared her frightening teeth and said "No, I'm already late for a meeting". Why not sign a bit of paper? She had to wait for the lift anyway. Scary toothed cunt.

Diana Innes
London

Marlborough light fingered

□ A few years back I was standing in a Naples piazza chatting with my mate who had a job selling cigarettes when who should step out of a taxi but David Bowie and that bird he's married to. I asked for his autograph and he grudgingly obliged, at the same time helping himself to a packet of twenty Marlborough. He then walked off without paying. I'll give him the benefit of the doubt and call him a forgetful cunt, but I had to pay for them. So if Dave is reading this, you owe me 4,000 lire (About twenty quid in today's sterling equivalent).

A. 'Nibby' Larossi
Napoli, Italy

Brief encounter

□ My brother Dave is a postman in Devon and was awaiting a delivery of mail at Newton Abbott station when Danny La Rue swanned up to him and ordered him to shift two cases of girlie dresses across the bridge to the other platform. When Dave explained he was a postman rather than a porter, the cross-dressing cunt called my brother a "lazy bastard" and pounced off with his nose in the air.

Tom R.
Northampton

□ "I won't forget you when I'm famous" said Carlton Headly, alias Raider off Gladiators. Well, where are you now, eh Carlton? Living on the other side of London, and not answering your mobile phone. Cunt.

Your mates
Wandsworth SW18

□ I offered football star John Radford a drink when I saw him in a Bermuda bar during the 70s. And the boring Arsenal cunt told me to fuck off.

J.P.G.
Kingston, Surrey

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Diana Innes
London

□ About 5 years ago I was directing traffic at the scene of a serious road accident on the M40 when Mike Reid pulled up in a black Peugeot 605. "What's all this?" he shouted. I told him to follow the diversion signs as there had been a serious accident and the motorway was blocked.

"Don't give me all that! Don't you know who I am?" he shouted. My colleague and I were about to apologise on behalf of the accident casualties for having delayed his journey when he suddenly sped off, giving us the wanker sign. Nasty cunt.

A. Traffic-Policeman
Herts.

Plucking cunt

□ Throughout my teens I was an ardent fan of the Who's brilliant rock guitarist Pete Townsend. I even bought his solo LP 'Who Came First' in 1973. Then one magical day whilst visiting London I saw my hero Pete Townsend striding along Oxford Street, heading straight towards me. God! My heart was in my mouth, my legs turned to jelly as I sidled up to him with a hopeful, admiring smile on my face. And yes! He actually spoke to me. "Get out of my fucking way" he said.

J. Truscott
Plymouth



Fox cunt

□ Basil Brush is a cunt. When I was 3 my mum took me to see him live at the Sunderland Empire. During the show I got excited and shouted out "Basil, I'm here!" All the audience heard me and laughed. But the little fox cunt ignored me completely.

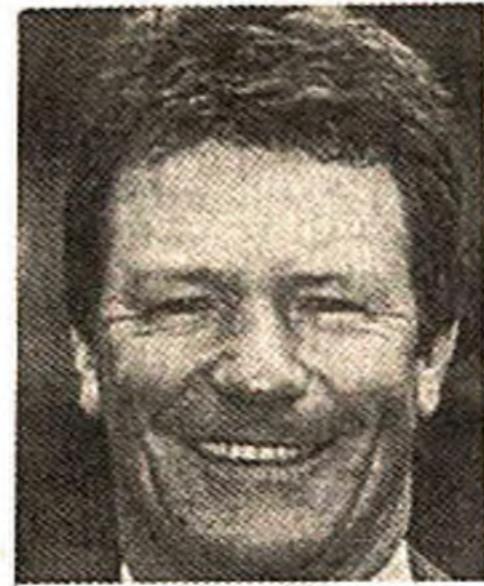
Nicola Purdon
Durham

You're a lady He's a cunt

□ At a theatre where I worked I was asked to prepare a sandwich for singer Peter Skellern, and the cunt turned his nose up at it. Twenty years later I'm still making sandwiches. Where is Peter Skellern nowadays, eh?

R. Ingram
Leicester

□ I used to work at a 24 hour petrol station outside Bristol and there were times when I had to fight the celebrity cunts off with a stick. Jim Davidson



threatened to fill my face in one evening, Chris Searle off That's Life told me to "fuck off" simply because I said "Thank you, Mr Searle". And Pete Willis out of Def Leppard, who was pissed at the time, got shirty when I told him his Access card had expired. But they weren't all cunts. Tony 'Baldrick' Robinson was a regular customer and he was a really nice guy and a joy to flog petrol to.

Jon Wisbey
Brislington, Bristol

□ I detect a slight bias against women in your organ. Why use words like cunt and twat to describe men? What about prick, or dickhead, etc. etc. Come on. Fair's fair.

A grandmother of three
Lewisham

* Daft bint.

□ I took my bird for a dirty weekend in Lowestoft and we met Emlyn Hughes and Willy Thorne. Surprisingly Willie Thorne, who looks like a cunt, turned out to be a twat and Emlyn Hughes, who looks like a tosser, was just a bell-end.

Simon Nielson
Wirral, Merseyside

Cunt Quickies

I was working in a well known chemists in Manchester and that Richard Madeley came in and [REDACTED] bought loads of classical music CDs. Tasteless cunt.

Ms Mazza Smith
Tottenham

WHILE working in Bahrain in the 70s I went to see Nottingham Forest play a friendly against the Bahrain national side. "Fuck off out of it" said Brian Clough as I went to sit next to him in the ground. Unfriendly cunt.

P. McCullough
Barrow-in-Furness

JOE Strummer out of The Clash called me a "fucking pratt" as I was walking into Leeds University to see him play in 1977. Cockney cunt.

Mike Redshaw
Norwich



MY dad had to clean up Richard O'Sullivan's puke after he bowled up at a posh golf club in Berkshire. And the cunt never even said thank you.

Davey 'Ravey' Rippon
Dover, Kent

ENGLAND rugby star Dean Richards was a cunt at school. He went around hitting boys whenever this other little sod, Craig Brandist, told him to.

Arthur Frampton
Hinckley

KATHY Tate out of Emmerdale threatened to have us bounced out of the 'Acapulco' night-club in Halifax after we asked for her autograph. Stroppy cunt.

Kevin Sweeney
Halifax

ACTRESS Kate Beckinsale once went out with a mate of mine and bought him a car. Then she dumped him, and asked for the car back. Tight cunt.

Charlie Skelton
Camberwell



BEFORE attempting to remove stubborn stains from a garment always circle the stain in permanent marker pen so that when you remove the garment from the washing machine you can easily locate the area of the stain and check that it has gone.

Miss E. Williams
Solihull

GIVE Viz that 'Pulp Fiction' feel by reading the last frames of cartoons first, then reading the rest in a random order.

A. Hulme
Rochdale

TRAFFIC cops. Don't waste time and money installing video cameras in your cars. Install them in the front and rear windows of all Volvo 340s and Maestros driven by old age pensioners. That way all the accidents which the doddering old fogies cause will be recorded on tape.

Andrew Davies
Yarm, Smogieland

HIGH blood pressure sufferers. Simply cut yourself and bleed for while, thus reducing the pressure in your veins.

N. Rodwell
Herne Bay, Kent

INTERNET users. Save yourself a lot of time and money by simply ringing a public call box and waiting for some sad bastard to walk by with nothing better to do than answer it.

S. Hope
Long Eaton

OLYMPIC athletes. Conceal the fact that you have taken performance enhancing drugs by simply running a little bit slower and letting someone else win.

A. Plasticman
London

AVOID drink driving by freezing beer in an ice maker, then eating it.

Urinal Dockrat
Marsworth, Bucks

LORRY drivers. Keep your indicator on for half an hour after each manoeuvre in order to keep us car drivers on our toes.

S. Macreary
Hollingworth

HEAVY smokers. Don't throw away those filters from the end of your cigarettes. Save them up and within a few years you'll have enough to insulate your loft.

Mr J. Hedley
Choppington,
Northumberland

DOG owners. Give passers by the impression that your dog is well trained by ordering it to do whatever it happens to be doing already.

J. Kay
Elem, N.P.

ROAD rage drivers. Settle your dispute honourably by removing your car aerials and having a fencing duel. The aerials will retract if they hit a solid object, thus preventing serious injury.

Pete Doolan
Yeovil

MOTORISTS. Enjoy the freedom of cycling by removing your windscreen, sticking half a melon skin on your head, then jumping red lights and driving the wrong way up one way streets.

Maurice Traveller
Brentford

H O U S E W I V E S . Brighten up Mondays by coating your kitchen floor with 'Quavers' in order to recreate the sound of walking through virgin snow whilst preparing the tea.

Mrs T.
Thronton

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A. Grieved
Newcastle

CREATE instant designer stubble by sucking a magnet and dipping your chin in a bowl of iron filings.

B. Vilbens
Birmingham

X FILE fans. Create the effect of being abducted by aliens by drinking two bottles of vodka. You'll invariably wake up in a strange place the following morning, having had your memory mysteriously 'erased'.

Sam Neffendorf
Weybridge

WHEELCHAIR basketball coaches. Miss out Lourdes from any forthcoming European tours in order to avoid losing your star players.

G. Hogg
Hamilton, Lanarkshire

BRITISH Rail or whatever the fuck you called nowadays. Run football specials from Manchester to London after Man United home games. Stock up the buffet with jellied eels and get the ticket inspector to sing Chas and Dave songs.

Gordon Frenchpolish
Tufnell Park innit,
Lahndan N19

A SHEET of sand paper makes a cheap and effective substitute for costly maps when visiting the Sahara desert.

A. T. Loveday
Ramsgate, Kent

TOBLERONE chocolate bars make ideal 'toast racks' for Ritz crackers.

Max China
Kendal

CAR tyres painted white and wrapped in green tarpaulin sheets make ideal packets of Polos for short sighted giants.

E.F.Gee
Aitchaye

CONVINCE neighbours that you have invented a 'shrinking' device by ruffling your hair, wearing a white laboratory coat, and parking a JCB digger outside your house for a few days. Then dim and flicker the lights in your house during the night and replace the JCB, unseen, with a Tonka toy of the same description. Watch their faces the next morning!

Prof. J. Francis
Rhondda

GENTLEMEN. Never smoke a cigar larger than your penis as this may invite witticisms from former partners.

John Butler
Liverpool L17

SAVE cash on gift shopping this Christmas by getting locked in prison. It's great, and you can take drugs and have a wank as well.

KM 3115 'Clem'
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Famous Sports Commentators
Wanking on their Girlfriend's Tits

No.66 Murray Walker

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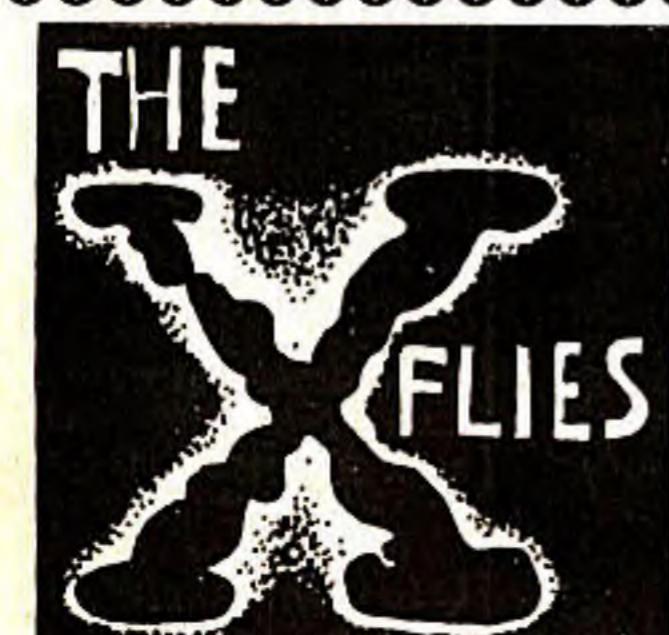
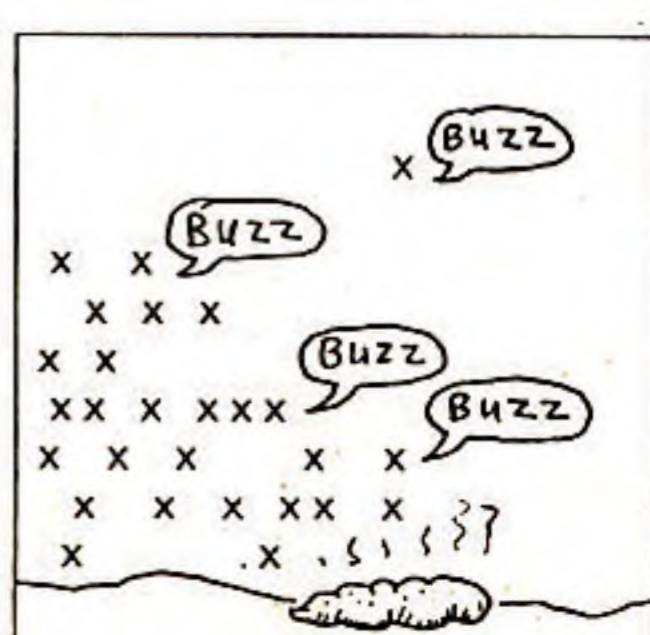
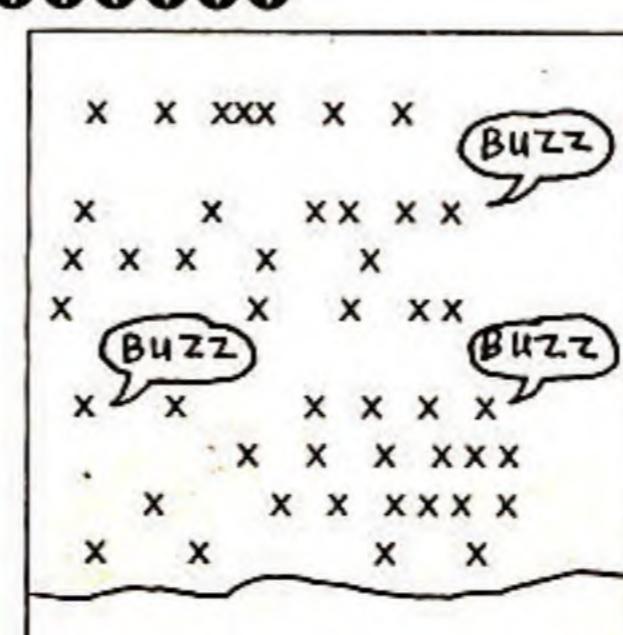
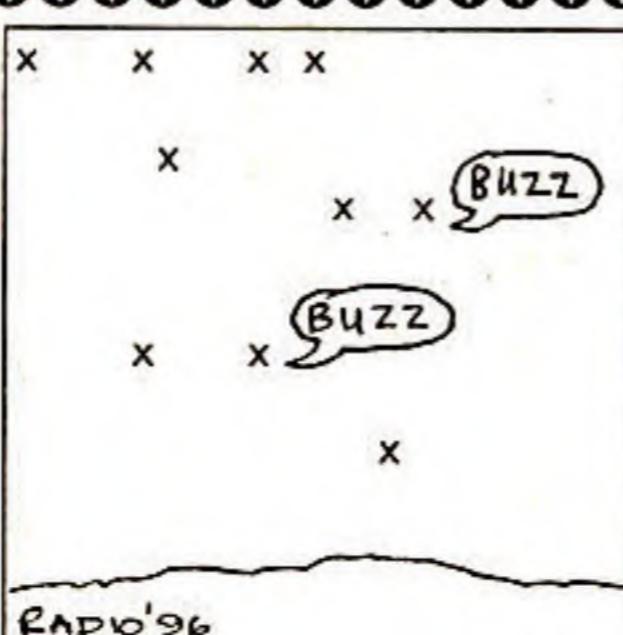
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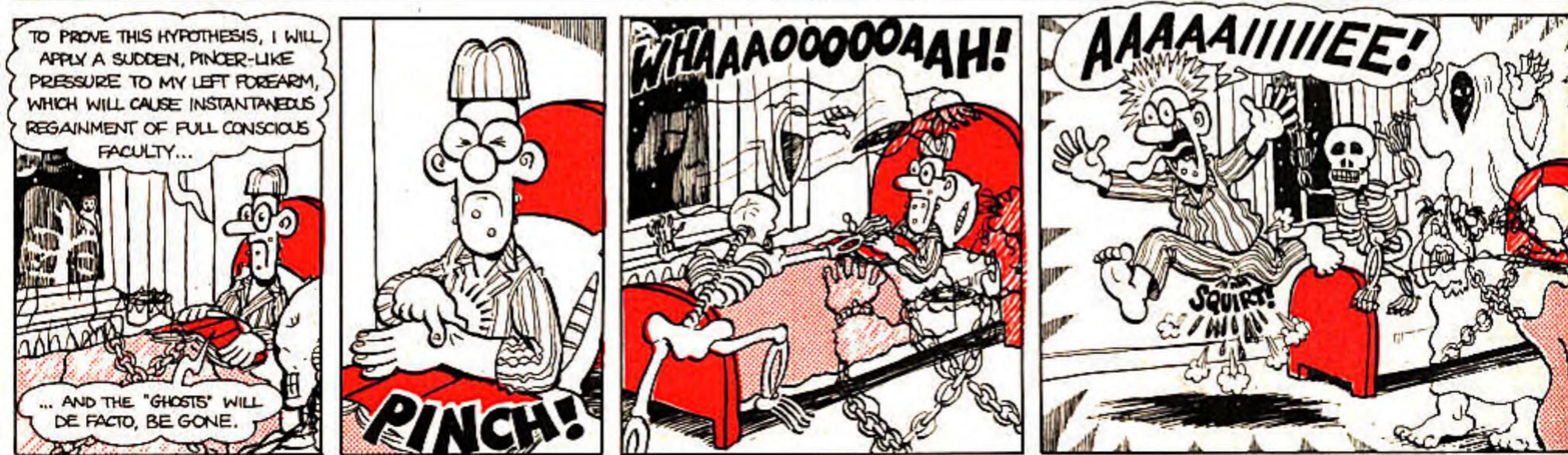
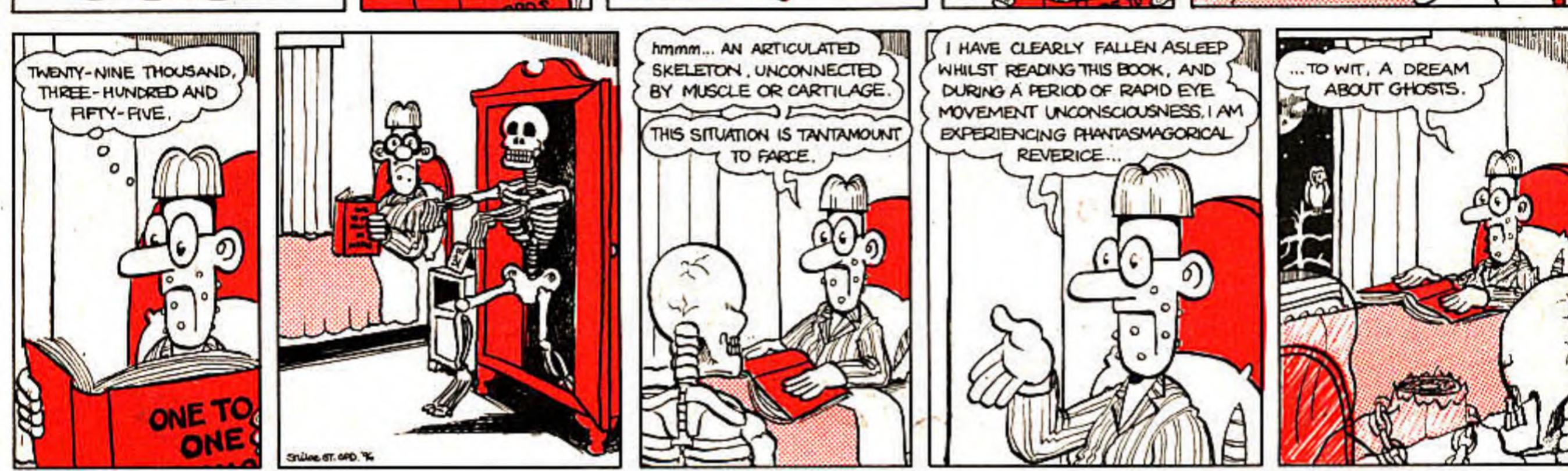
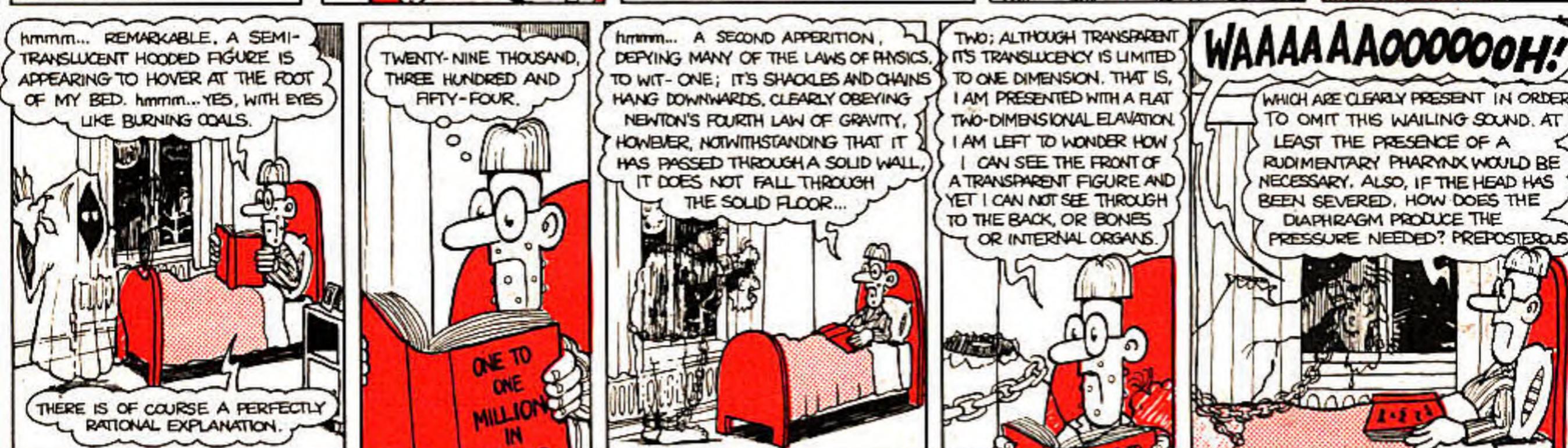
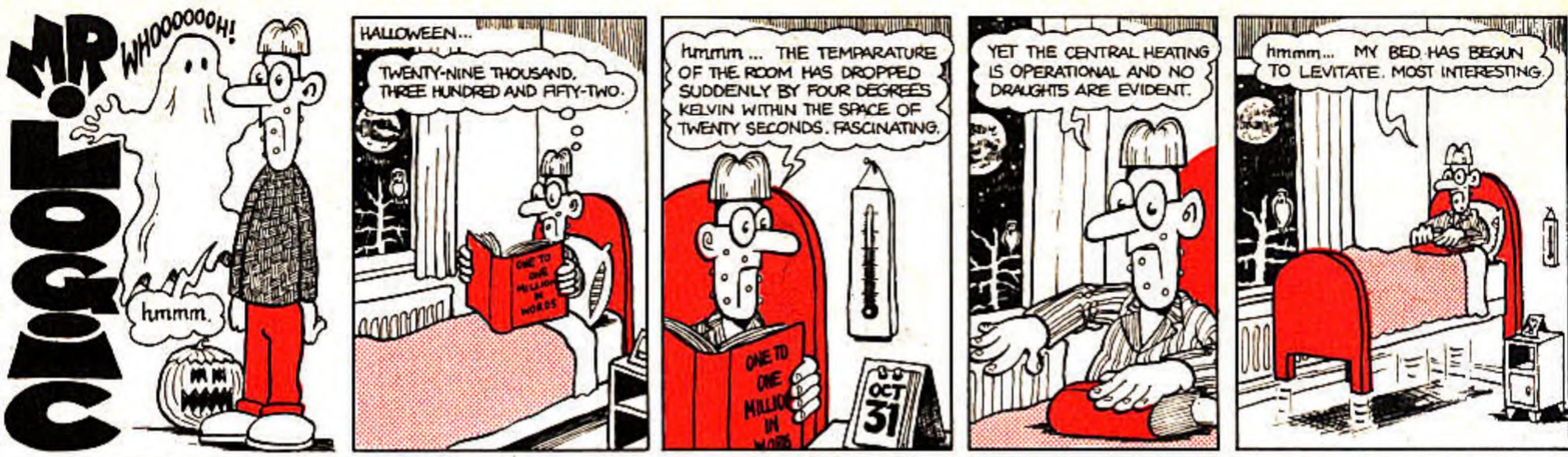
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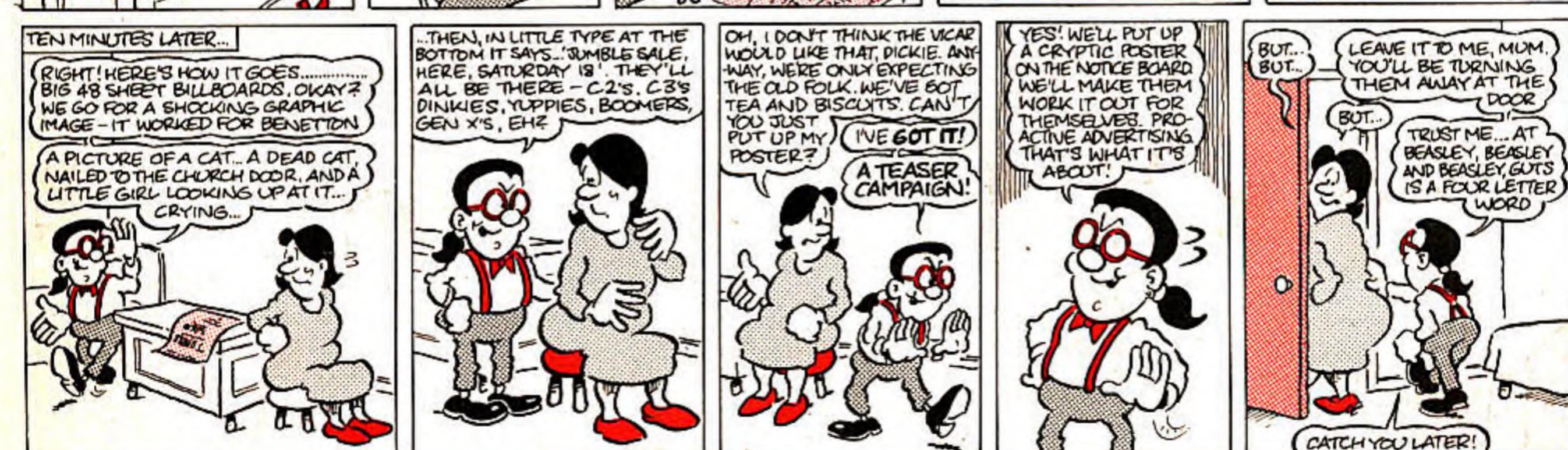
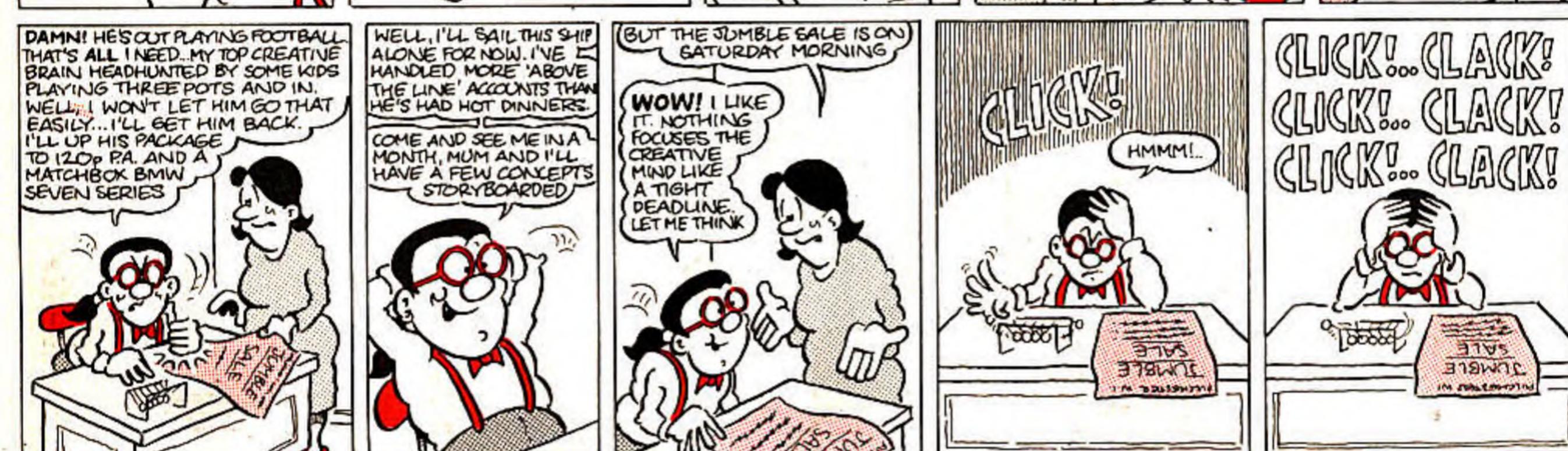
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NOTHING TO DECLARE



WHO IS THIS JET-SETTING INTERNATIONAL MAN OF MYSTERY IN THE FIRST CLASS LOUNGE OF FULCHESTER AIRPORT?

INTERNATIONAL MAN OF MYSTERY MY SILVER RINGPIECE...

OH NO! IT CAN'T BE!
I RATHER THINK YOU'LL FIND IT IS YOU KNOW!



BLUE RUIN!

IT'S

PAUL WHICKER THE TALL VICAR

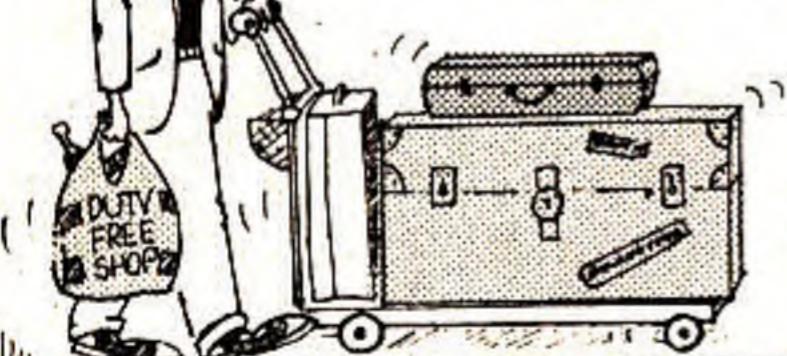
GREETIN'S SHITNECKS!
LONG TIME NO SEE! I'VE BEEN SUNNING MY SKINNY ASS IN COLOMBIA FOR A COUPLA YEARS DOING... AHEM... 'MISSIONARY' AHEM... 'WORK'...



DIRTY JOB LIKE,
BUT THE CHOICE BOGOTA BABY POWDER HELPS KEEP ONE ON ONE'S FEET!

THAT BASTARD BISHOP BLOGGS SENT ME OFF WHEN HE FOUND ME ON THE NEST WITH TWO HOT BIRDS!

ONE OF 'EM WAS HIS MISSUS - WHICH I MIGHT HAVE GOT AWAY WITH COZ HE HATES THE DAFT MARE...



ATTITUDE? YOU AINT HEARD NOWT YET. FUCKDUST! AND GET YER NOSE OUT O' ME BAG 'AN ALL ADOLF!



I'VE NEVER SEEN QUITE SO MUCH COCAINE IN MY LIFE!!

DID YOU PACK THIS BAG Y'SELF SIR?



GET YOUR FILTHY MITTS OFF ME YOU DICKWEED! I'M A MAN OF THE BLEEDIN' CLOTH! I'LL GIVE YOU A FOURPENNY ONE UP THE BRACKET!



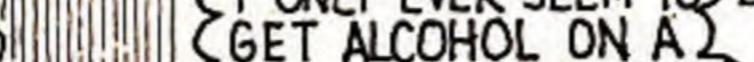
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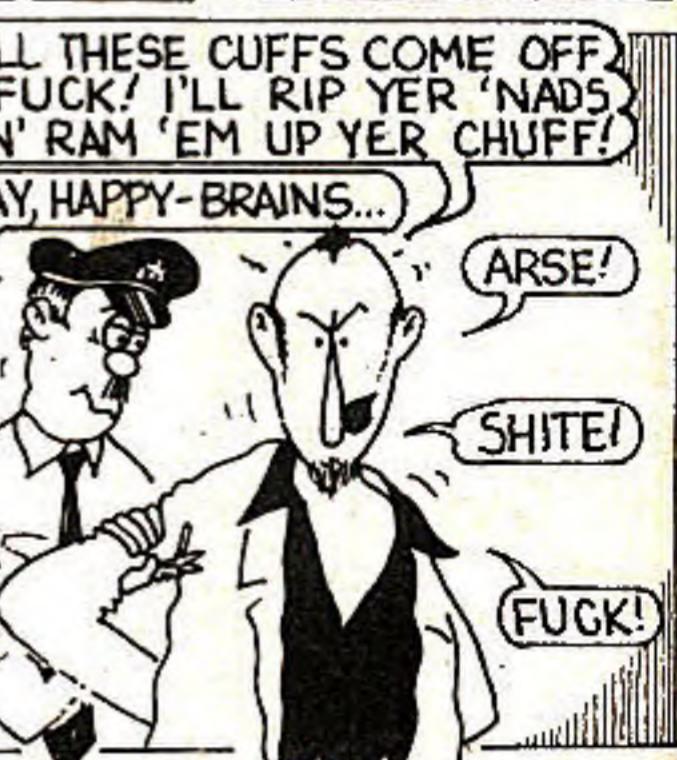
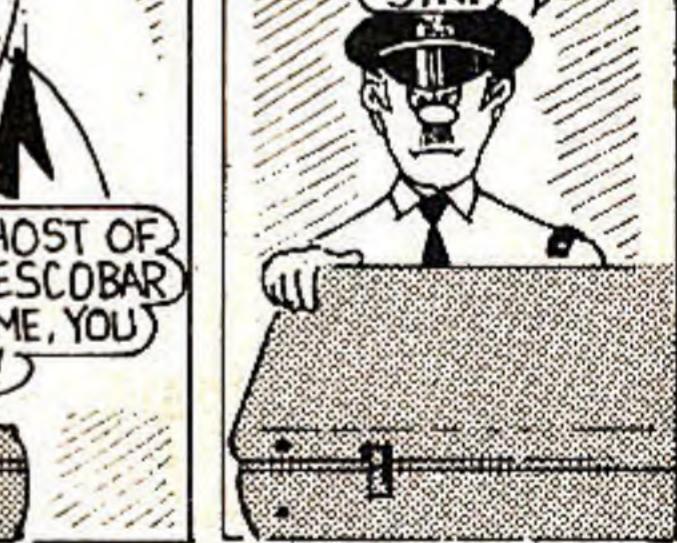


THERE Y'GO P.W.! TWENTY K. AS AGREED!

SWIFT!



NO NEED FOR THAT KIND OF ATTITUDE (SIR!)



SHITE!

FUCK!

SIR! ACCORDING TO HIS PASSPORT, THIS IS THE REV. P. WHICKER WHO WAS IN POSSESSION OF A LARGE QUANTITY OF COCAINE AND EXCESS DUTY-FREE..SIR!



WELL DONE OFFICER! LEAVE THIS VILE MISCREANT TO ME! I'LL THROW THE BOOK AT HIM!

TOSS!

BUT...

GOOD TO BE BACK FRED!

HALFERS IT IS!

I THINK YOU'D BETTER GO OUT TH' BACK!

ONE WAY OR ANOTHER,

I ONLY EVER SEEM TO

GET ALCOHOL ON A

TEMPORARY LOAN BASIS!

OUR HERO TRIES TO FIND A PLACE TO FLOP...

A LARGE POSH ROOM AND AN ASSISTED SHOWER MATE...

OH AN' SEND UP A BOTTLE OF ROCK'N'ROLL MOUTHNASH!!

JUDGE YE NOT A MAN BY THE COMPANY HE KEEPS READER HE'S PROBABLY MUCH, MUCH WORSE THAN THEM ANYWAY!



WELL THEN! THAT TAKES CARE OF THE BEER MONEY! NOW FOR A SHIT, SHAVE SHOWER SHOESHINE AN' STASH THE REST OF ME GEAR. BUT FOR STARTERS-A SMALL GARGLE DOWN THE PI6 AND BADGER! AND THEN A VISIT TO ME OLD PAL BISHOP NUMBNUTS!! I'M SURE HE'LL BE OVERJOYED!!



FOLLOWING A PLURALITY OF PINTS...



MMMF!
URP!
GUP!
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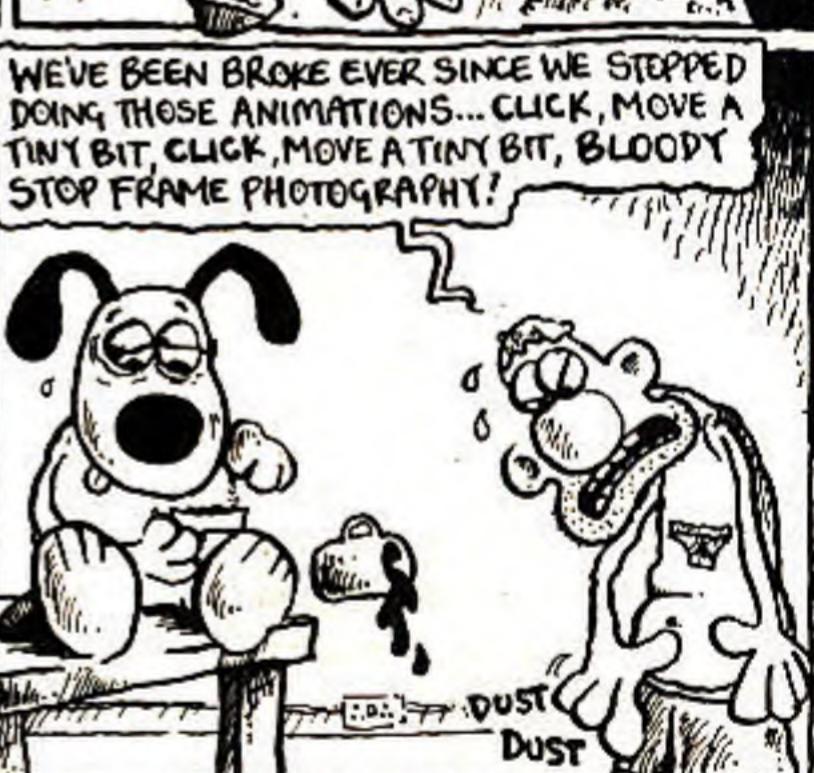
WELL REALLY! I'M AFRAID SIR THE FULCHESTER HILTON DOES NOT PROVIDE SUCH SERVICES!



NICK PARKER'S GRIMACE AND VOMIT.



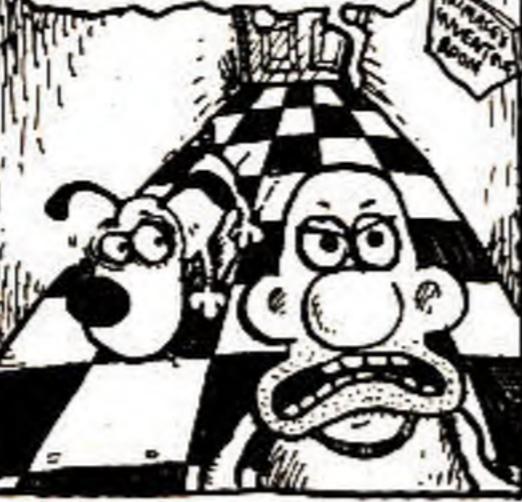
OH DEAR, VOMIT. - A FEW TOO MANY RED STRIPES BEFORE YOU SET THE MACHINE LAST NIGHT?



HARDLY SURPRISING THAT I HAD THAT NERVOUS BREAK DOWN REALLY IS IT, CHUCK?



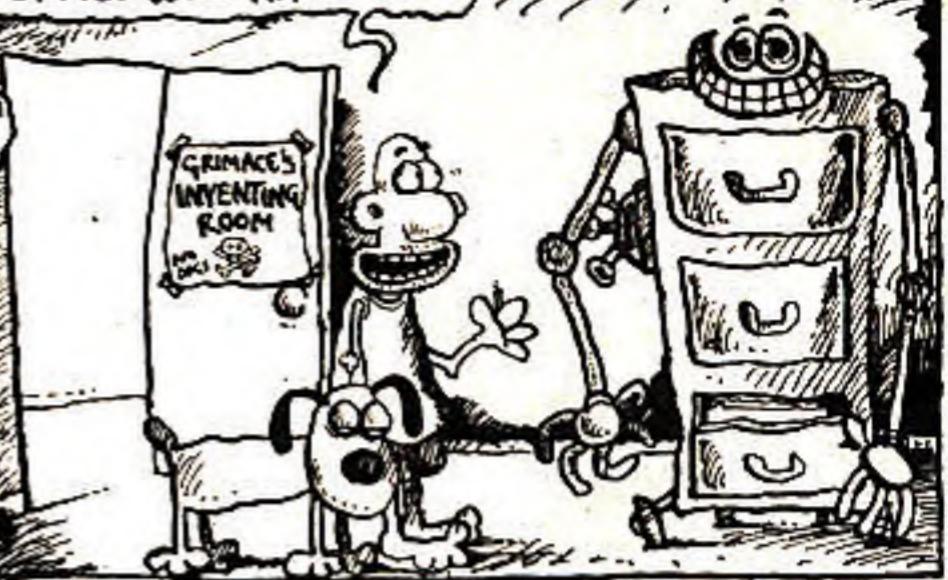
THE BABE ACTION'S NOT BEEN THE SAME SINCE THOSE DAYS EITHER. TWO OSCARS WAS SOME FANNY MAGNET!



IT'S BEEN EIGHTEEN MONTHS SINCE I HAD A SHAG - HELL, IT WASN'T EVEN THAT! I TOLD HER - 'OF COURSE IT'S SOFT AND FLOPPY, I'M MADE OF FUCKING PLASTACINE!'



HERE WE ARE - THE GRIMACE FILE-O-MATIC™. SOON EVERY OFFICE WILL HAVE ONE!



LOAD IT ONTO THE BIKE, VOMIT - THE MEETING'S IN HALF AN HOUR.



...AND SO I GIVE YOU THE FILE-O-MATIC™ - A GAS-POWERED FILING CABINET WHICH STORES ALL YOUR PAPERS AND RETRIEVES THEM FOR YOU IN A COMICALLY HAPHAZARD FASHION WHEN YOU USE THIS COMPLEX AND OBSCURE SET OF LEVERS JUST HERE.



ALLOW ME TO DEMONSTRATE



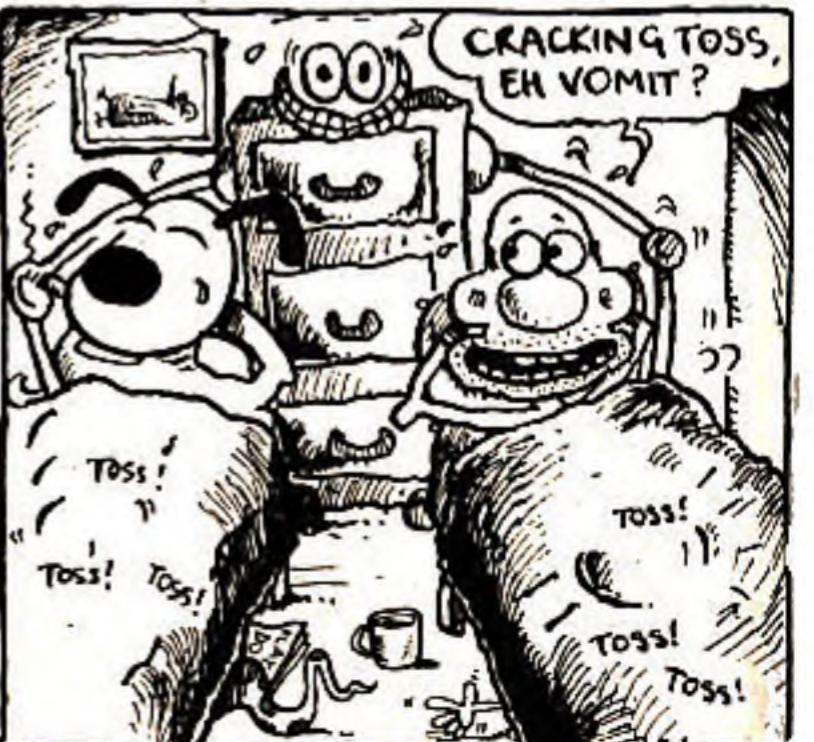
IF PEOPLE WANT SOMETHING TO COCK UP THEIR FILING FOR THEM THESE DAYS THEY'LL GET A COMPUTER - FACE IT, GRIMACE, YOU'RE ALL WASHED UP. NOW STOP WASTING MY TIME AND GET OUT



DAMN! NO INVENTION, NO SALE, NOT EVEN THE FAIREST CHANCE OF ANY BABE ACTION - WHAT A WANK DAY!



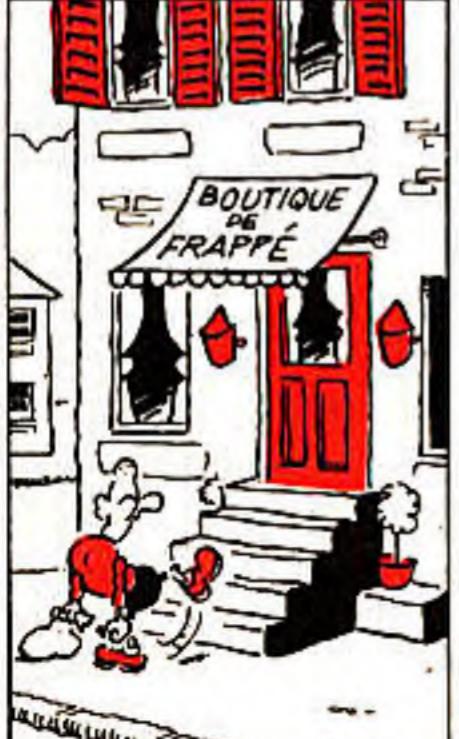
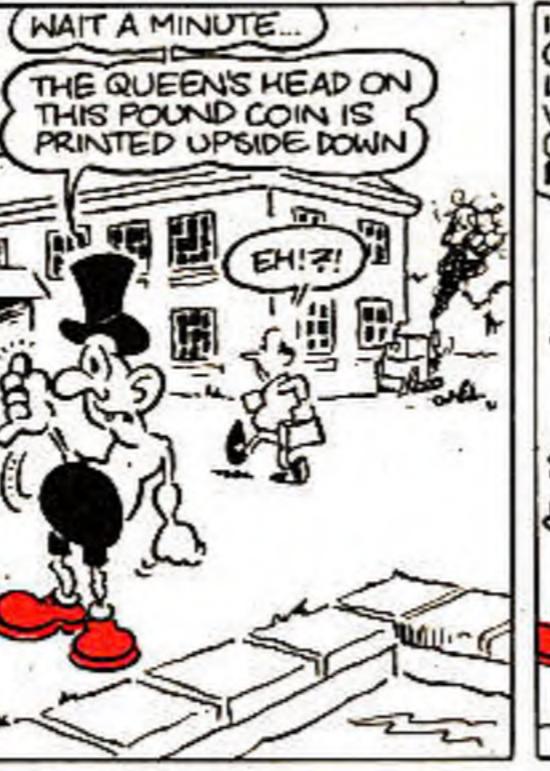
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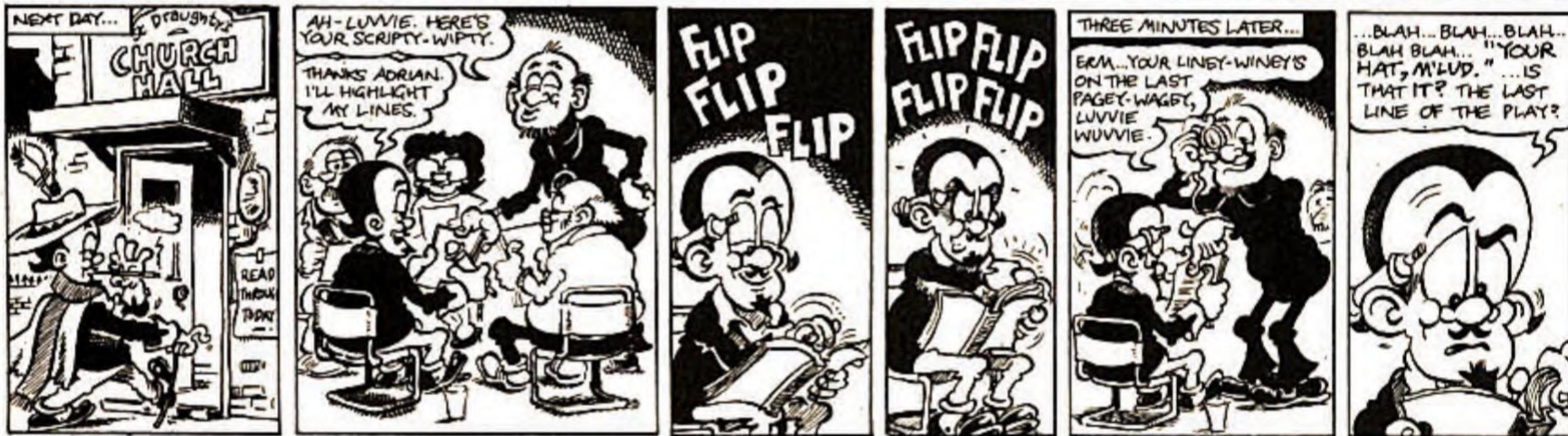
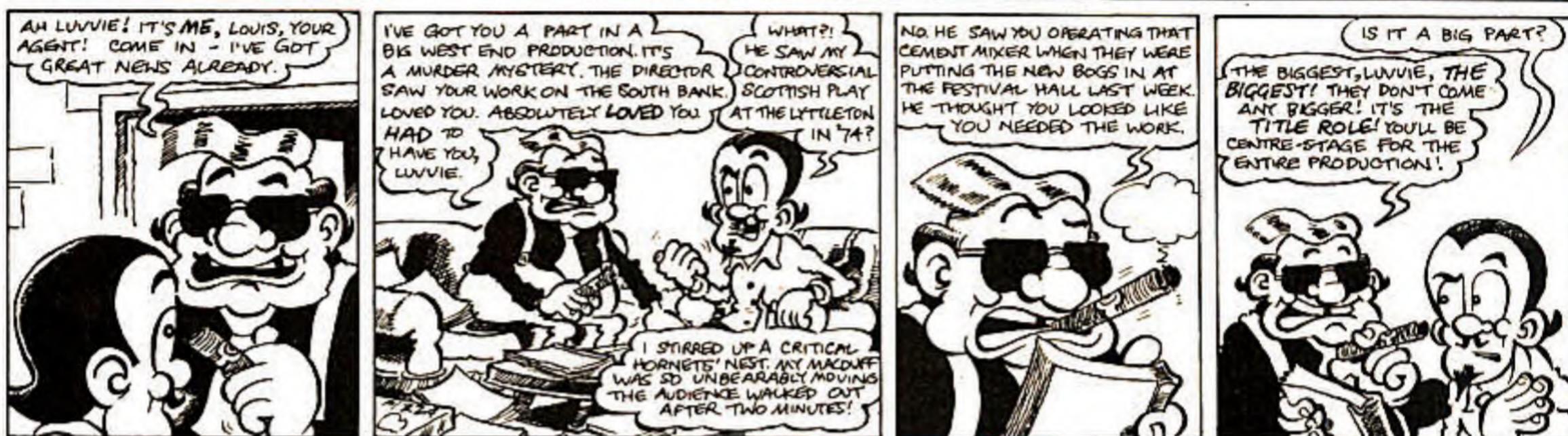
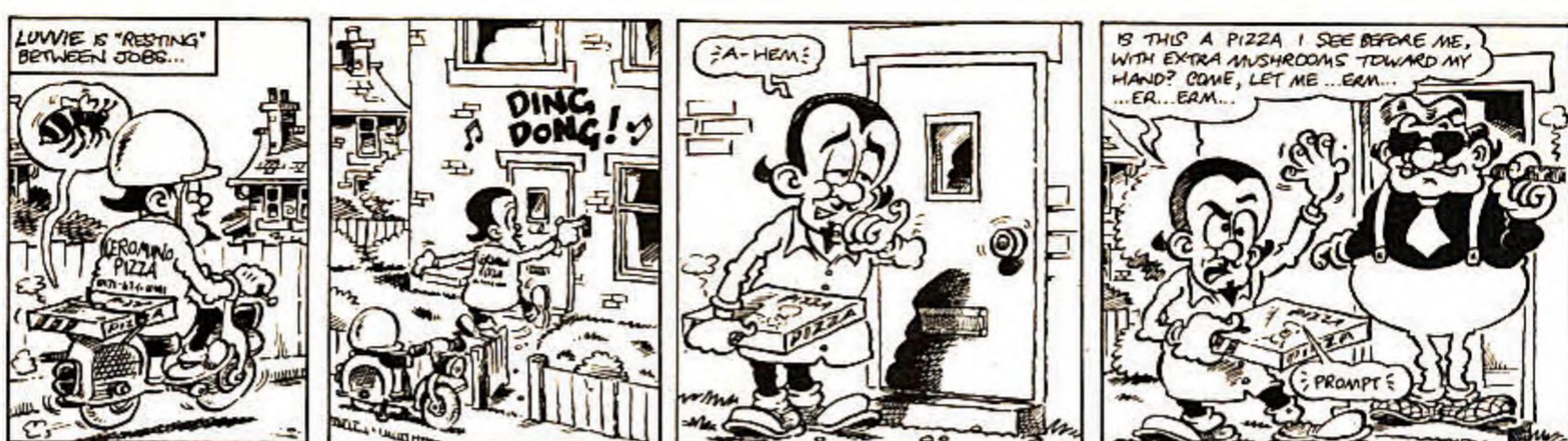
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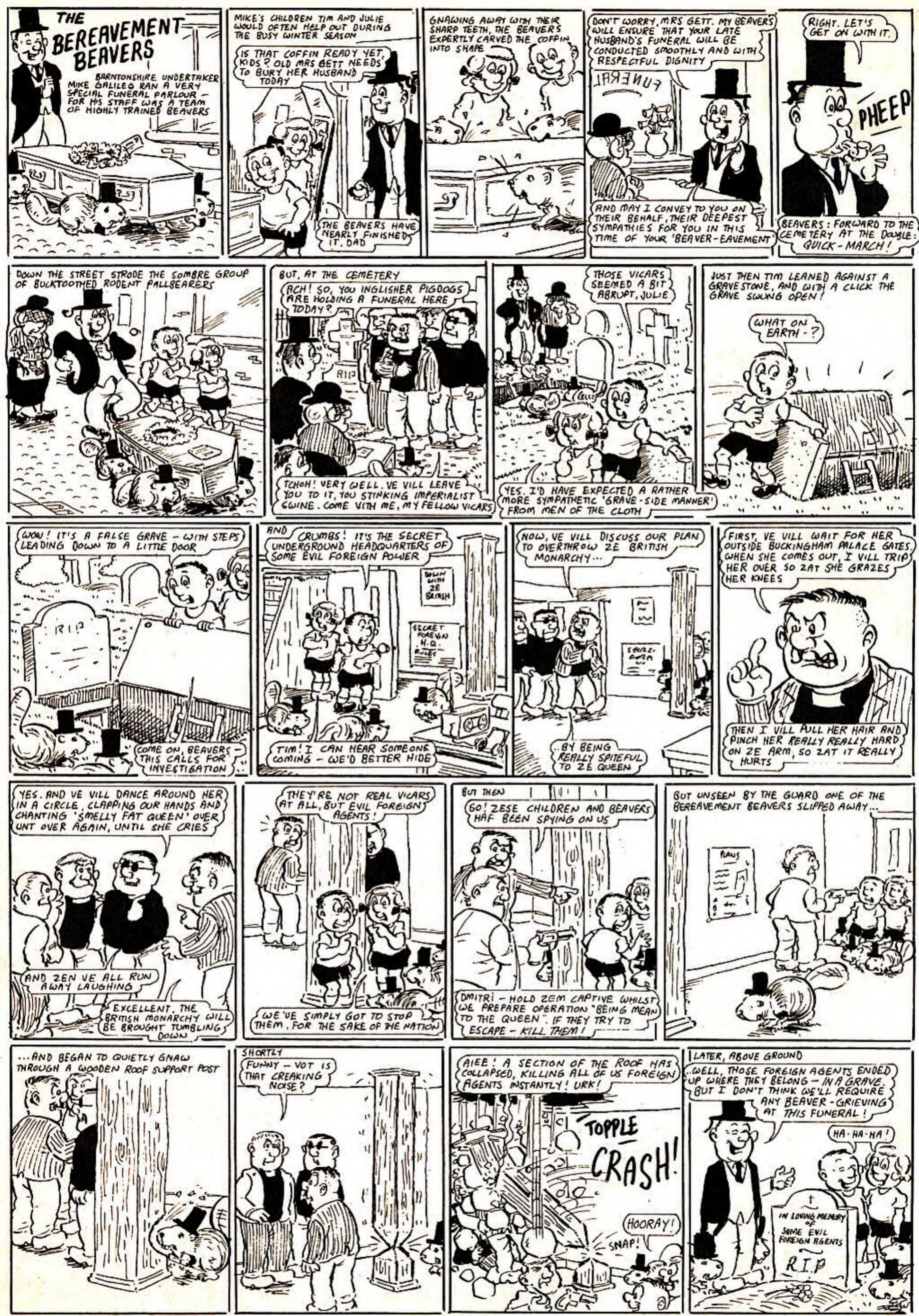
SPAWN GET

WELL I'M SORRY, MR. GET, BUT THERE'S NO DOUBT ABOUT IT... YOU'VE GOT PODOCYOMA OF THE GLOMERULUS... IT'S VERY RARE AND **ALWAYS** FATAL

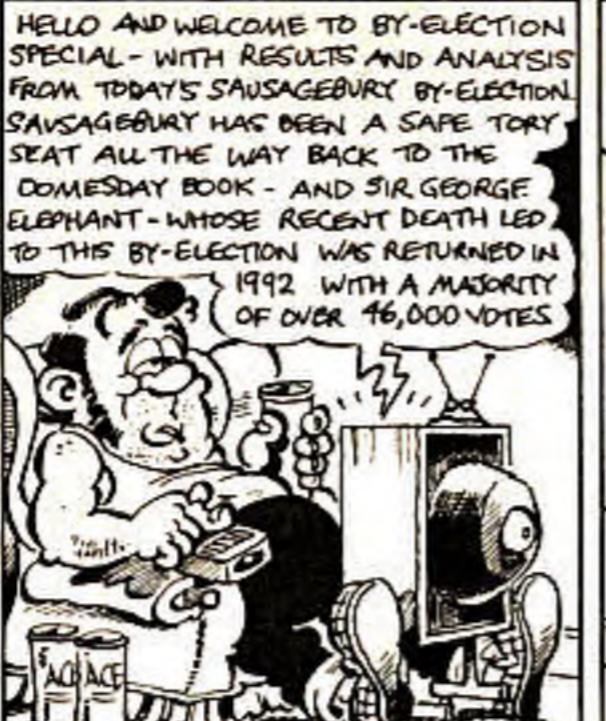


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BAXTER BASICS M.P.



WITH US TONIGHT WE HAVE AS USUAL A PANEL OF SPOKESMEN FROM THE MAJOR PARTIES. BAXTER BASICS - HOW ARE THE CONSERVATIVES HOPING TO DO TONIGHT?

WELL DAVID - OBVIOUSLY WE'RE LOOKING FOR OUR CANDIDATE TO BE RETURNED WITH A VERY COMFORTABLE MAJORITY IN A SAFE SEAT SUCH AS THIS...

ONE TWO... ONE TWO... BRAP! BRAP! HELLO... ONE TWOOOOOOOO... I... AS DULY APPOINTED BLAH BLAH... DECLARE THAT THE VOTES CAST WAS AS FOLLOWS...

CLARISSA SHORTBREAD - LABOUR - FIFTY-SIX THOUSAND, THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVEN...

RAVING LORD SKINT - TIRED OLD JOKE PARTY - ELEVEN...

LIONEL SILVERSPOON BATT-EARES - CONSERVATIVE - ONE VOTE... AND THAT WAS HIMSELF.



SO, BAXTER BASICS - OBVIOUSLY A TERRIBLE RESULT FOR THE GOVERNMENT.

NO NO NO. NOT AT ALL. THIS IS A TYPICAL MID-TERM BY-ELECTION RESULT IN A MARGINAL SEAT SUCH AS THIS...

BUT...

IT'S ACTUALLY A VERY GOOD RESULT AND I THINK THAT LABOUR WILL BE WONDERING WHAT'S GONE WRONG WITH THEIR VOTE COLLAPSING TO THIS EXTENT.

PERHAPS THEY HAVE RELATIVES VISITING FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES, PUNCTURED CAR TYRES...

BUT...

BUT MR. BASICS - YOUR CANDIDATE ONLY RECEIVED ONE VOTE - YOUR HUGE MAJORITY HAS BEEN OVERTURNED!

WHAT YOU MUST REMEMBER IS THAT MANY TRADITIONAL CONSERVATIVE VOTERS WILL HAVE STAYED AT HOME DUE TO THE HIGH POLLEN COUNT.

PERHAPS THEY HAVE RELATIVES VISITING FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES, PUNCTURED CAR TYRES...

BUT...

IT'S EASILY DONE, AND I CAN ARTIFICIALLY DISTORT THE RESULT WITH SUCH A LOW TURNOUT.

MANY VOTERS WILL HAVE LEFT THE HOUSE INTENDING TO VOTE CONSERVATIVE AND THEN REMEMBERED THAT THEY'D LEFT THE KETTLE ON.

BUT IT'S A RECORD TURNOUT IN A BY-ELECTION - 94%

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Ready, steady, GHOST!

THE Paranormal Olympic Games are to be held in Limbo in the year 2002.

Within hours of the announcement shops and businesses in the state, which exists somewhere between Heaven and Hell, were looking forward to the prospect of an economic boom which the money spinning spirit games will guarantee.

Souls

Over five million souls are expected to watch the games, in which ghosts, poltergeists and other supernatural entities from all over the world compete for medals. Events include the severed head put, wall walking, chain dragging and the 100 metre lurch through a cemetery. An estimated 80 million spirits around the world will watch the events telepathically.

Limbo

Limbo's success comes as a blow to Shangri La which had been confident of hosting the prestigious event for the first time. Limbo has already staged the games once, in 1968, and that occasion Russia were accused of cheating after murdering several of their top athletes and not allowing their souls to rest in order to gain qualification to the event.

Samba

Geographical disadvantages are thought to have swayed the Committee's final decision. Shangri La -

a wonderful place of true perfection - would have proven popular among spectators and athletes alike. But there would have been problems with transport. Thought to be in Nepal, the only way to get to Shangri La is by climbing through high mountains. According to legend an avalanche then occurs and an icy cave appears leading to the mythical place.

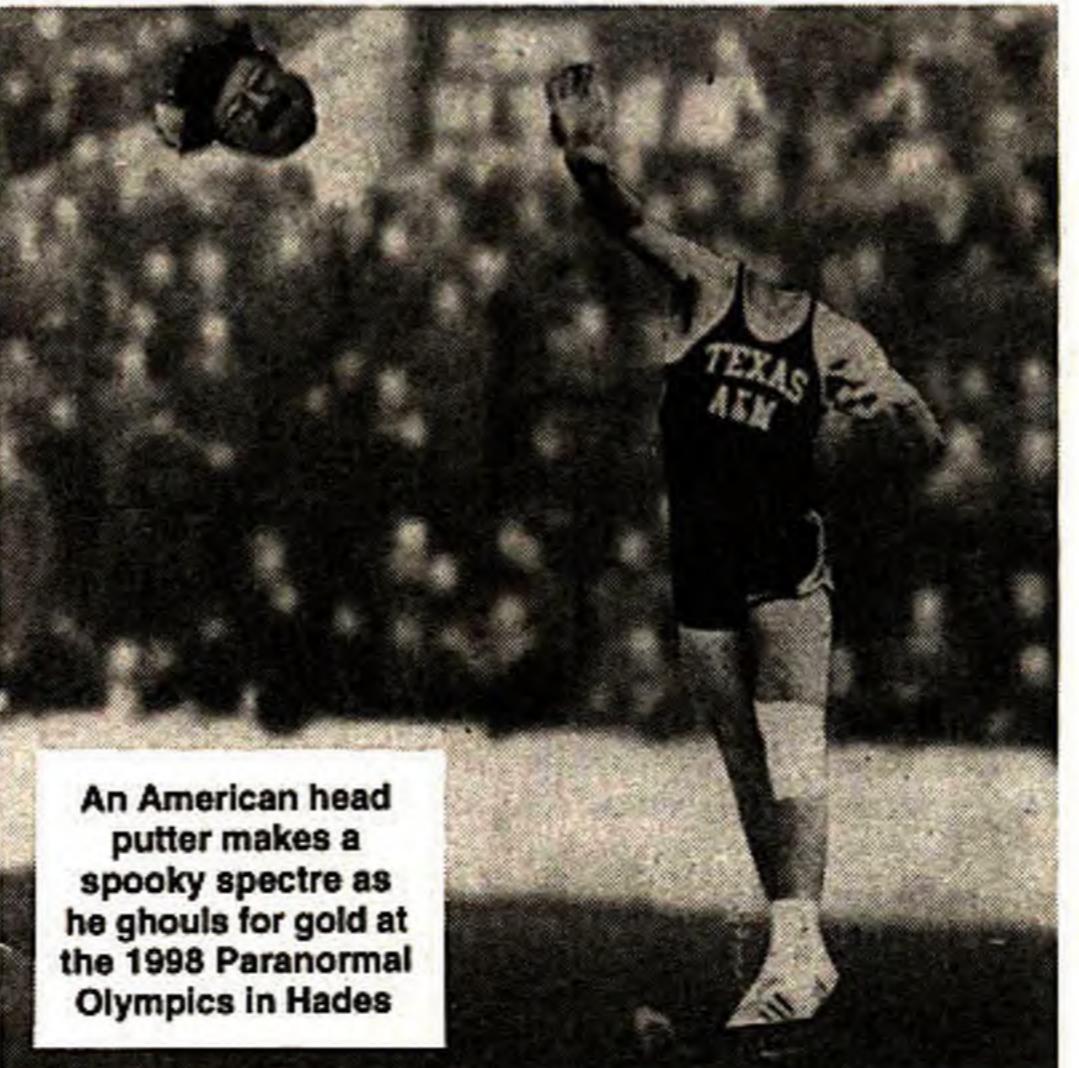
Lambada

Other disappointed delegations included representatives of Nirvana, the state of utter bliss where people no longer require their bodies. Olympic chiefs feared that out-of-body competitions would reduce the incentive for athletes to train. Photo finishes would also have been difficult to decide.

Lumbago

Eldorado, with its slogan 'the lost city of gold', had been favourites among the early bidders. Its high profile campaign to host the games was supported by many big names including W.G. Grace, Charlie Chaplin and Martin Luther King. However its whereabouts are unknown and the Committee was unable to visit it to check the facilities on offer. Disappointed Norwegian delegates from Valhalla were already talking opti-

**Ghosts going for
ghould, shiver
and bronzergeist in
paranormal games**



An American head putter makes a spooky spectre as he ghouls for gold at the 1998 Paranormal Olympics in Hades

mistically about their chances of staging the 2006 games. Facilities in the mythical Hall of the Viking Kings are second to none. However problems over qualification for events have yet to be resolved. As the legends stand only athletes who died in battle with a sword in their hand could qualify for the final stages in the mythical Hall itself.

The Committee were keen to avoid any such problems, particularly in the wake of the 1994 fiasco in Hades, the Greek Hell, where competitors were forced to queue for hours with coins in their mouths waiting for a ferryman to take them across the river Styx. Many turned up late for their events and were disqualified as a result.



AFRICA: Tools worth £25 have been reported stolen from a shed in Adis Ababa, Ethiopia. Meanwhile, daring thieves in Bosaso, Somalia, climbed a five foot fence before making off with tins of paint worth £50. Police believe the dare devil raid on the Ututu Farm Stores compound on the outskirts of the town was carried out by two men.

SOUTH AMERICA: A Peru man has been fined 15 inti (about £75) after his dog fouled the pavement. Juan Almeres Benavides, a 52 year old carpenter, was given two months to pay the fine by the court in Moyobamba.

USA: New York police couldn't believe their eyes when they arrived to investigate a burglar alarm sounding in the Greenwich Village area of the city. Vandals had used stones to break a window at the rear of a warehouse, and daubed graffiti on a nearby wall.

CHINA: Police in the Shandong province are investigating the theft of vegetables from an allotment in the town of Jinan. Among the vegetables stolen were some onions.



ANOTHER ROYAL PHOTO EXCLUSIVE!

QUEEN BUM!

Her Royal Lowness

*is a grown
and out*



ONCE she was the Queen of England. Bedecked in jewels and dressed in lavish gowns, red carpets unfurled beneath her every foot. But now she wanders alone in a public park, huddled in rags, her only companion a mangey dog.

Runcible

There was a time when she lived a life of luxury and splendour, dining on swans and caviar, and slices of quince which she ate with a runcible spoon. Crowds flocked in their thousands to see her changing the guards at Buckingham Palace. But nowadays she prefers liquidised vegetable soup, and even her relatives avoid her as the Queen Mother seldom changes her clothing. In her heyday she was everyone's favourite Royal. But now she whisks away the hours at the Clarence House care home in central London, just another muddled pensioner waiting for the grave.

Crucible

Neighbours of the 98 year old fear for the health of the former Queen. She can often be seen wandering aimlessly in the local parks, and has trouble remembering who she is. On one occasion she was found singing in a bus shelter and told police officers she was Gracie Fields. Police and park wardens regularly round the old dear up and hand her back to nursing home staff. A Buckingham Palace source yesterday denied the Queen Mother was suffering from Alzheimer's disease or any similar marble mislaying illness.



Pensioner's nightmare ends in amputation

CONSUMER watchdogs are warning old folk to be on their guard after a frail Yorkshire pensioner allowed artificial leg salesmen to cut off both of his legs.

Eighty-six year old Wilfred Barker - a veteran of two world wars - was subjected to over ten hours of high pressure sales pitching after two men turned up uninvited at his Barnsley home at 2 o'clock in the morning.

Raining

"I invited them in because it was raining and made them a cup of tea. After a while, when I realised they were selling legs, I told them I'd already got some. But they said there was no obligation for me to buy and they just wanted to give me a quick demonstration".

Pouring

The two salesmen from Leeds based Alpine Legs then produced impressive, glossy, brochures showing photographs of several attractive new artificial limbs. But when they began quoting prices Wilfred told them straight away that he wasn't interested.

Snoring

"They measured my legs and came up with a price of over £10,000. I don't have that sort of money. Then they started telling me how much it was going to cost just to maintain my real legs. They said my old legs were coming to the end of their life and it wasn't worth having them repaired. I'd be better off investing in a new pair. I got a bit bamboozled. Then, after a while it seemed to make sense".

Bed

Mr Barker asked the salesmen for time to think, and suggested they return the following day. But they told him they were only in the area for one night and that this was a special offer. "They said if I didn't sign there and then the price would be doubled, and I might end up with no legs at all".

Head

Their aggressive sales pitch continued until dawn

Leg salesmen got their feet in the door

and throughout the ordeal they refused to allow Mr Barker to use the lavatory. He pleaded with them to leave, but they said they would only go if he allowed them to cut off his legs. At around noon the following day, exhausted and suffering from bladder cramps, Wilfred eventually agreed.

Morning

"They put a piece of paper in front of me and told me that if I signed it they would go away and let me sleep. So I did. Before I knew what was happening they'd sawn my legs off above the knee."

Cash

Wilfred handed over £4,500 cash on the spot. The men then left, promising to return the next day to fit his replacement legs. But he heard nothing for over six weeks. Then he received another bill, this time for £24,000. "The first payment had only been a deposit, and they were refusing to fit my new legs until I paid the balance."

Mathis

Reluctantly Mr Barker sold his house in order to pay the bill. Two weeks later two men arrived and fitted his new legs, breaking his hip and two ribs in the process. "They were only here a couple of minutes but I couldn't believe the mess they made". Since then Wilfred has had nothing but trouble from his new legs. "The left one is too short and rattles when I go ballroom dancing. The other one just keeps falling off. I feel such a fool".

Morris

When we showed Wilfred's legs to a leading orthopaedic surgeon he



Mr Barker with the two unevenly lengthened walking sticks he now needs to stand up.

was horrified.
"This is a really shoddy job. For a start Mr Barker's legs haven't been sawn off evenly. And even worse, he's been fitted with two left legs. They've not been weatherproofed properly and water is already ingressing and causing swelling of the knees", he added.

Austin

A spokesman for OffPeg, the regulatory body responsible for artificial limbs and appliances have issued a warning to any old folk who were thinking of buying replacement legs. "Shop around, go to a reputable company or ask friends who've had their legs sawn off successfully and are happy with their replacements", he said. "But most importantly, never sign anything on the doorstep. Always ask for time to consider. Unless of course there's a special offer you might miss".

Wolsley

Meanwhile Alpine Legs managing director Reg Shit flatly denied that his employees use any high pressure sales techniques. "All my salesmen are nice blokes. In fact the gentleman concerned used to be vicar. As far as I'm aware Mr Barker's legs fit perfectly well. Now fuck off out of it or I'll set me dog on you", he told us.

WONDERWARM!

Four letter Oasis star Liam Gallagher has spoken out for the first time about the central heating system that keeps him warm in winter.

The outrageous billionaire drug crazed spitting singer has been holed up in a country hideaway with leggy lovebomb Patsy Kensit since returning from the band's disastrous US tour.

Remote

We tracked the couple down to a remote £10 million, 8 bedroom farmhouse in the Sussex countryside. The house, which stands in its own garden, is heated by a traditional sealed circulating hot water system. It has plentiful radiators to the ground and first floors, plus electric night storage heaters in two attic bedrooms.

Radio

Liam revealed for the first time the truth about the cost of heating the house. "It costs a fortune to heat, but who cares? I'm fucking loaded". The foul mouthed star told us the heating ran on LPG, or liquid petroleum gas.

Out of

Inside the house Liam showed us into a utility room where a combination boiler was mounted

Writes our Pop & Plumbing Correspondent
the late boozed up wiggy newsreader
REGINALD BOSANQUET

on a bare brick wall. A timer switch nearby allowed the controversial rocker and his blonde fiancee to preset the heating to come and off at certain times of the day.

A booster switch enables Gallagher and his stunning bride-to-be to over-ride these preset times if required, making hot water available at short notice any time of the day or night.

Upstairs

In an upstairs bathroom we saw a double panel radiator with towel rail above, while in a cupboard nearby stood a well lagged hot water tank.

Downstairs

Locals at the nearby Kings Head pub told us that natural gas is not available in the area and the only alternative fuel to LPG would be oil. "Propane gas used to be cheaper than oil, but political unrest in the Middle East has caused prices to soar in recent years", said landlord Jack Higgins.

DRUNKEN DAD HIT KIDS WITH POKER

THE Gallagher's drunken father Hughie regularly branded his kids with a red hot fireside poker, younger brother Rory has revealed.

"He kept a set of partly ornamental tools, including a fork, a small shovel and some tongs on the hearth", he told us yesterday. "The shovel was of little practical use because the handle became loose and unscrewed itself whenever it was used".



Hughie Gallagher yesterday

Millionaire twins Liam and Nigel gave their drunken father away to a jumble sale in 1988. He is currently in prison for swearing at a Sun photographer who poked him repeatedly with a sharp stick.

Oasis gas-fired secrets exposed



CHAMPAGNE SUPERBOILER:
Liam makes an obscene gesture next to the couple's 'Valiant' wall mounted combination boiler.



WHAT'S THE STORY?
BATHROOM RADIATOR:
Patsy poses alongside the couple's double panel fluted bathroom radiator.
Their towel rail is just out of shot.



DON'T LOOK BACK AT THE WATER TANK:
Liam's cosy hot water tank complete with foam insulation.

Rory blows valve on heating

RORY GALLAGHER, the unknown brother of Oasis twins Niall and Liam has written a 'plumb and tell' book pulling the plug on the family's childhood heating arrangements.

Duchess

Sick of seeing lies about his family printed in the press, younger brother Rory has decided to pipe up and set the record straight. And he reveals that contrary to some reports, the Gallagher family did **NOT** have Economy 7 night storage heating. "We didn't have any central heating in those days", he told us yesterday. "Just coal fires, and one paraffin heater which we kept in the bathroom".

Duke St.

Coal fires were once the standard form of domestic heating in British households. Nowadays restrictions on the use of solid fuel would mean the Gallagher triplets having to buy smokeless coal 'brickettes' were they to light a fire in certain areas.

Famous Sports Commentators
Wanking on their Girlfriend's Tits

No.65 Dan Maskell

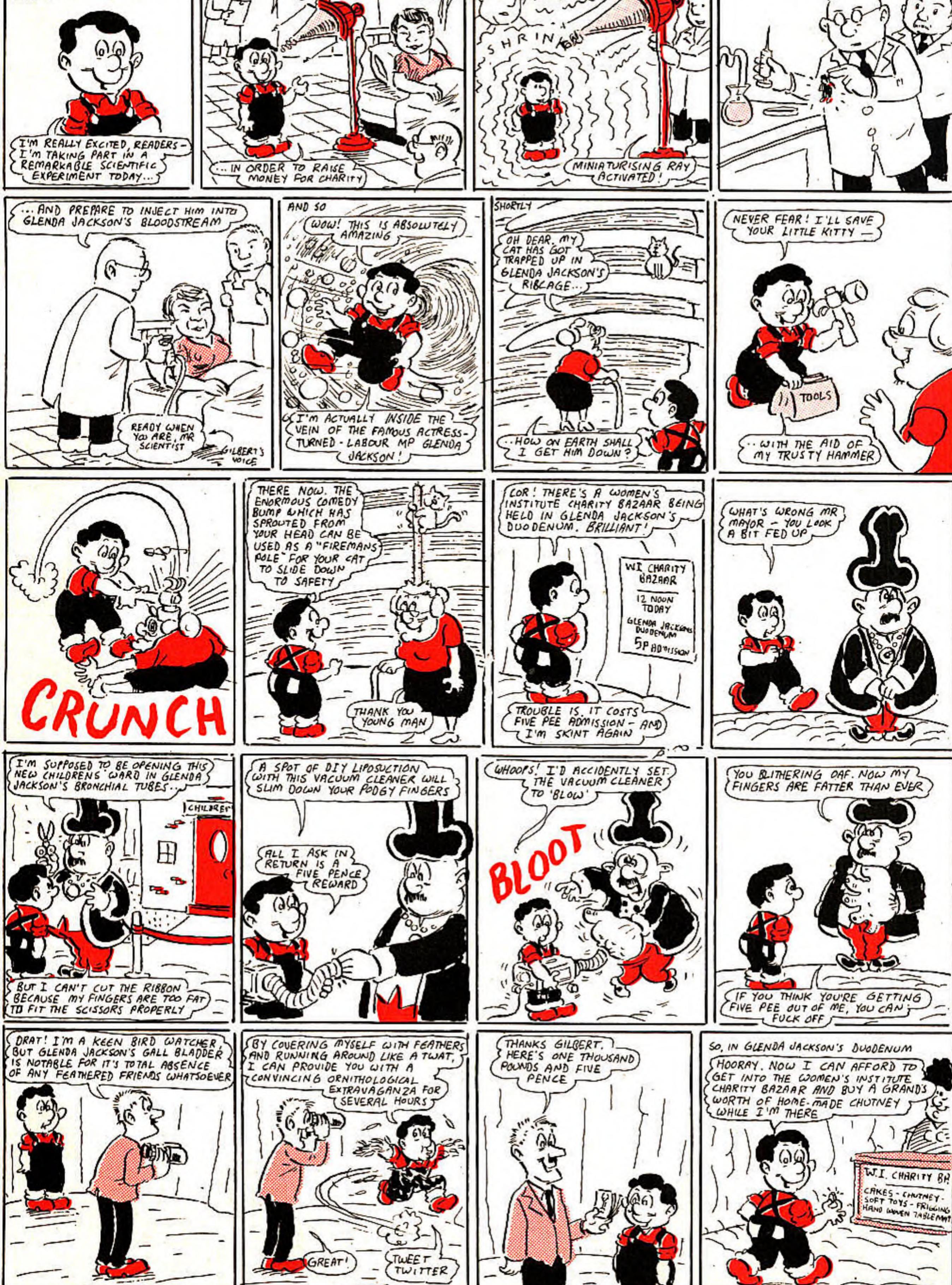
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THAT'S A DREAM
OF A STROKE...

EURGH!

OH, I SAY!



GILBERT RATCHET'S FANTASTIC VOYAGE



CHEAT on the TRACK

Bah! I'm beaten. That Russian is good. I'm dead on my feet and he's still full of running

Kolchinsky wins!

The semi-final of the World Amateur Athletics Championship 100 yard dash was not going well for the British wonder kid Ralph Fibreboard.

Well, you've made it through to the final tomorrow, but it was a far from impressive performance, Ralph

Gasp! Puff! Pant!

Come on. Let's go back to the hotel and have a talk

You've got to do better than that if you're going to win gold tomorrow, Ralph

I don't care. I'm Olympic Champion over 100 yards. I get fifty grand just for turning up at a race

Ralph...I'm Franklin Rickenbacker, Boss of Dingo Sportswear. Unless you win gold tomorrow, we're withdrawing our £10 million sponsorship deal from you...

Eh?!

...that means no more money, we take back the car, take back the house... everything! You'll be finished, Fibreboard. Lose tomorrow and you'll never open another supermarket again

What am I going to do, coach? That Russian's going to be hard to beat

There's a rumour, Ralph - but nobody can prove it - that he takes...well....that he takes...part in an intensive training programme. Circuits, strict diet, eight hours a day in the gym. You name it, he does it

What?!?

Those blasted Russians! I can't compete against that kind of training...

...I have to do adverts, meet sponsors, take my drugs. I have to appear on lightweight sports quiz programmes. I don't have time to train

Well, you'll just have to put more effort into it, Ralph

I want you down there on that track tomorrow at five in the morning taking drugs...

...You've got 24 hours to prepare for that race. I want you taking drugs like there's no tomorrow... you're going to take, take, take! You're going to take so many drugs you're going to hate me, Ralph! And when you just think you can't take any more...

...you're going to start taking them again!!

Next morning...

Faster, Ralph! Faster! Faster! More effort! COME ON!!

4.28 seconds for 5ml of testosterone. Pathetic! Do it again... Again!





Wizard brew spells trouble for trousers

NIGHTMARE ON SHITS STREET

HALLOWEEN holds little fear for most adults. But come the witching hour this year one Viz reader is going to be a gibbering, nervous wreck in urgent need of a clean pair of underpants.

That's because we're giving away ten cases (that's 120 bottles) of Wychwood Brewery's new Hobgoblin Extra Strong Ale. And if that doesn't make you shit your pants, nothing will. Hobgoblin is yet another one of these gimmicky bottled beers with a cartoon on the label. It probably tastes like toad's piss, but at 5.5 per cent proof, 120 bottles should just about get you there.

Simply answer these twelve terrifying teasers all about scary films without screaming or hiding behind a settee. To make it even more scary why not turn off the lights and read the questions in the dark, by torchlight. And ask a friend to make occasional owl noises in the background.

1. In the original movie Frankenstein what was Dr Frankenstein's humpty assistant called?

- a) Quasimodo
- b) Egor
- c) Fritz

2. Who created Frankenstein's monster?

- a) Boris Karloff
- b) Mary Shelley
- c) Dr Frankenstein

3. Who wrote the book Frankenstein?

- a) Mary Shelley
- b) Pete Shelley out of The Buzzcocks
- c) Shelley Winters

4. Who wrote the book Dracula?

- a) Doris Stokes
- b) Bram Stoker
- c) Bram Tchaikovsky out of The Motors

5. Which member of the Adams Family (pictured above) had the awkward task of organising a Saturday Night dance involving rival street gangs at a gym in the film musical West Side Story?

- a) Cousin It
- b) Gomez
- c) Herman Munster



6. In the pant pissingly scary British horror film Theatre Of Blood which member of the Warmington-on-Sea home guard had his head sawn off and stuck on top of a milk bottle by Vincent Price?

- a) Corporal Jones
- b) Captain Mainwaring
- c) Sergeant Wilson

7. Which Gotham City arch villain did Vincent Price portray in the sixties TV series Batman?

- a) Penguin
- b) Dr Phibes
- c) Egghead

8. What is the name of the dead scary bloke with a floppy hat, a Dennis the Menace jumper and knifey hands who gives everyone the shits in Elm Street after they've gone to sleep?

- a) Edward Scissorhands
- b) Freddie Kruger
- c) Freddie 'Parrot Face' Davies

9. In a bizarre twist almost straight out of one of his own movies, what happened to scary British Hammer horror actor Peter Cushing after his death?

- a) He came alive and ate someone.
- b) He turned into a bat and flew away.
- c) He was buried, but a slight controversy surrounds the actual whereabouts of his final resting place.

10. Which star of the children's film classic The Railway Children got her minge piece scoffed in the horror movie American Werewolf In London?

- a) Bernard Cribbins
- b) Sally Thomsett
- c) Jenny Agutter

11. In a bizarre twist almost straight out of one of his own movies, what happened to actor Bella Lugosi while he was filming the science fiction film Plan Nine From Outer Space?

- a) He was bitten by a bat and turned into a vampire.
- b) He was chased round a grave yard by a scary monster.
- c) He dropped down dead.

12. After Bella Lugosi had dropped down dead, who took over his starring role in the science fiction movie Plan Nine From Outer Space?

- a) Lon Chaney Junior
- b) Lon Chaney Senior
- c) Bella Lugosi's dentist

Mark your entries 'Hobgoblin'. Closing date is 8th November 1996. First correct entry out of the hat wins the beer. Anyone else wishing to sample this potent potion can summon up a bottle by going out, in the licensing hour, and throwing a handful of silver coins onto the counter at their nearest branch of Tesco's, Unwins or Savacentre stores.

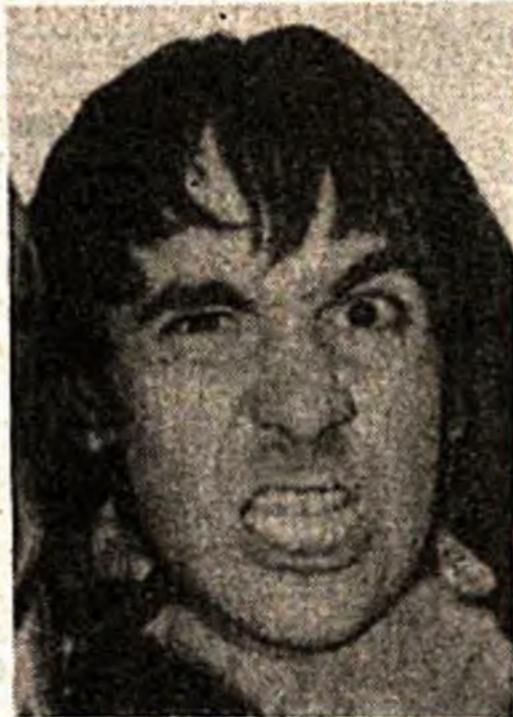
Identify the a this video!

TRAINSPOTTING, described as "The best British movie of the decade" by Empire magazine, has just been released by Polygram Video, priced a mere £15.99 from a video shop near you. And we've got 50 fucking copies to give away.

Twelve questions about trainspotting would be a bit on the dull side, so instead we're asking questions about all sorts of dull and boring pastimes, and the misguided celebrities who participate in them. See if you can tell whose hobby's whose?

1. They lived fast and died young. But as well as sex and drugs and rock and roll, one of these rock legends listed train spotting among his hobbies. Which one?

- a) Guitar legend Jimi Hendrix
- b) Brian Jones out of the Rolling Stones
- c) The Who's Keith Moon



2. Despite exciting careers these sad celebs sit at home breeding animals to while away the hours. Can you match the star with the animals they breed? Against each number (1, 2 and 3) place a letter (A, B or C).

- (1) Spurs boss Gerry Francis
- (2) Strong man Geoff Capes
- (3) Lefty MP Ken Livingstone

- (A) Pigeons
- (B) Newts
- (C) Budgies

3. Which ONE of the following game show hosts DOESN'T collect clocks?

- a) Stuart Hall
- b) Robert Robinson
- c) Nicholas Parsons

4. Actress and 3-2-1 star Anna Dawson shares an unusual interest with carrot topped nerdy news reader Nicholas Witchell. What turns them on?



- a) UFO hunting
- b) Deer hunting
- c) Loch Ness monster hunting

5. These stars keep themselves fit with active pastimes. Match the person to the healthy outdoor pursuit.

- (1) Energy egghead Professor Ian Fells
- (2) Vision On artist Tony Hart
- (3) Actress Rula Lenska
- (A) Discovering new types of elephants
- (B) Chopping logs
- (C) Cross country skiing

6. Others prefer less strenuous pastimes. What do these three lazy bastards get up to in their chairs?

- (1) Weighty former Rochdale MP Cyril Smith
- (2) Comedian Bobby Ball
- (3) Children's TV presenter Johnny Ball



- (A) Reading the Bible
- (B) Doing sums
- (C) Eating ginger chocolates

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Trainspotting

7. Collecting art is a great hobby if you can afford it. These three operate within their respective budgets. Who collects what?

- (1) Chris De Burgh
- (2) Leslie Crowther
- (3) Andrew Lloyd Webber
- (A) Pre Raephelite art
- (B) Persian rugs
- (C) The lids off pots

8. Coronation Street's Derek Wilton (alias actor Peter Baldwin, not to be confused with Mike Baldwin, alias actor Johnny Briggs) is married to Mavis Wilton (alias actress Thelma Barlow, not to be confused with Ken Barlow, alias actor Bill Roach). What does he collect?

- (a) Toy soldiers
- (b) Toy theatres
- (c) Toy boys

9. When he's not interrupting people on the telly, snidey features Newsnight TV bully Jeremy Paxman divides his spare time between two binding passions. What are they?

- (a) Swimming and gardens
- (b) Fly fishing and mountains
- (c) Painting and canals

10. Which ONE of the following dirty devils DOESN'T collect saucy old postcards?

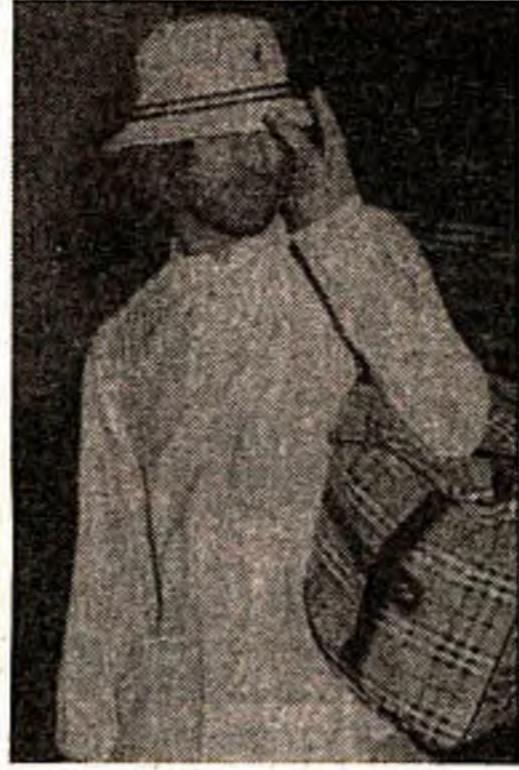
- (a) Ronnie Barker
- (b) Ronnie Corbett
- (c) Ian McCaskill

11. Super lightweight going nowhere daytime TV host Ross King collects memorabilia in his spare time. What sort of memorabilia does super lightweight going nowhere daytime TV host Ross King collect?

- a) Railway memorabilia
- b) Nazi memorabilia
- c) James Bond memorabilia

12. Finally an easy one. Watching football is a popular hobby for many of the rich and famous. Match the teams to their celebrity supporters.

- (1) Hell raising, hard living, Patsy Kensit shagging Oasis singer Liam Gallagher.



(2) Charterhouse and Oxford educated former economic advisor to the Kenyan government, one time Warburg Investment Management director and current investment manager of OLIM Convertible Trust plc, Matthew Oakeshott.

- (3) Hunky, heart throb actor and Sharp star Sean Bean.

- (A) Sheffield United
- (B) Manchester City
- (C) Arsenal

Mark your entries 'Trainspotting'. Closing date 8th November. The first fifty correct entries out of the hat each win a video. If less than fifty are correct the remaining videos will be awarded to the closest runners up.

Solve the crap crimes and win a brill book!

THE Fortean Times book of Inept Crime is a catalogue of crappy crimes committed by fuck witted felons. It's a hilarious hotch potch of bungled burglaries, bizarre break-ins, messed up muggings and farcical firearms offences.

It's an ideal gift for someone who finds that sort of thing funny, and is on sale now from book shops priced just £4.99. But you can turn twat detective and win one of the 50 copies we're giving away.

1. In 1993 Norwegian bank robber Rolf Horne was caught two hours after robbing an Oslo bank. Where did he go wrong?

- a) He fell asleep drunk in the bank vault.
- b) He returned to the bank to deposit the money and was recognised.
- c) His wife was a police officer and arrested him when he got home.

2. Brazilian Rodrigo Almeida was arrested shortly after robbing a bank in San Paulo. What was his big mistake?

- a) He lost his keys and couldn't get into his car.
- b) He was waiting outside the bank for a taxi.
- c) He fell asleep drunk in the bank vault.

3. In 1990 pizza delivery man Troy Brewer of Balch Springs, Texas, was held up by robbers armed with what?

- a) Bows and arrows
- b) A frozen chicken
- c) A turtle

4. What did thieves use to break into a pub in Dawlish, Devon in August 1992?

- a) A frozen chicken
- b) A hot air balloon
- c) A frozen rabbit

5. Thieves burrowed through a wall to gain entry to a Vancouver restaurant in 1994. Once inside, what did they do?

- a) Oiled the castor wheels on the restaurants 100 chairs.
- b) Went into the freezer and had sex with frozen chickens.
- c) Stole some frozen lasagna.



Clueless Clueso -
the crappiest
criminologist of all

6. A bank official in Switzerland stole £500,000. When arrested two years later he'd blown the lot. Where had it all gone?

- a) He had spent it all on prostitutes.
- b) He'd spent it all on ear plugs because his wife snored so loudly.
- c) He ate it.

7. In 1994 Brazilian burglar Renato Pereira was caught red handed during a raid on a social club in Sao Paulo. What was his elementary error?

- a) He fell asleep after drinking 30 pints of beer.
- b) He turned on the disco and began dancing, thus alerting neighbours.
- c) He got his cock stuck in a vacuum cleaner.

8. In 1992 a Honolulu man was arrested for causing cruelty to animals. What had he done?

- a) Played the harmonica to an elephant.
- b) Had sex with a crocodile.
- c) Forced a chicken to have sex with his wife.

9. Edilber Guimaires of Brazil was arrested the morning after he burgled a factory in Belo Horizonte. What brought about his downfall?

- a) It was a paint factory and he left a trail of bright red foot prints leading to his house.

b) It was a fireworks factory and he accidentally blew up his house when lighting a cigarette.

c) It was a glue factory and he glued himself to the floor.

10. In October 1984 a thief snatched a handbag from a Mrs Levubu in Krugersdorp, South Africa. What did it contain?

- a) A fully grown lion weighing three quarters of a ton.
- b) Ten bottles of piss.
- c) Mrs Levubu's husband, who was 187, and had got stuck in the bag while shagging a frozen chicken 100 years previously.

Mark your entries 'Inept Crime'. Competition closes 8th November. (To make it easier for us to remember the answers we're listing them here. These are for office use only. Please do not look at them. 1b, 2b, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7a, 8a, 9c, 10b.) The first 50 correct entries out of the hat will each receive a copy of the book.

WINNERS

Issue 79 WATERWORLD:
S W Smallman of York jets off on holiday to America.

Issue 79 CULT TV:
Mr A Siviter of Halesowen spends a dreary weekend in Caister. Kevin Letts, Steve Cooper and Nick Talbot get a T-shirt. The following get parcels of crap. B Devine, Miss A Knight, Emma Poole, Mark Parsons, Trevor A Millar.

ENTRIES

Write your answers on a postcard or sealed envelope together with your name and address and send it to:

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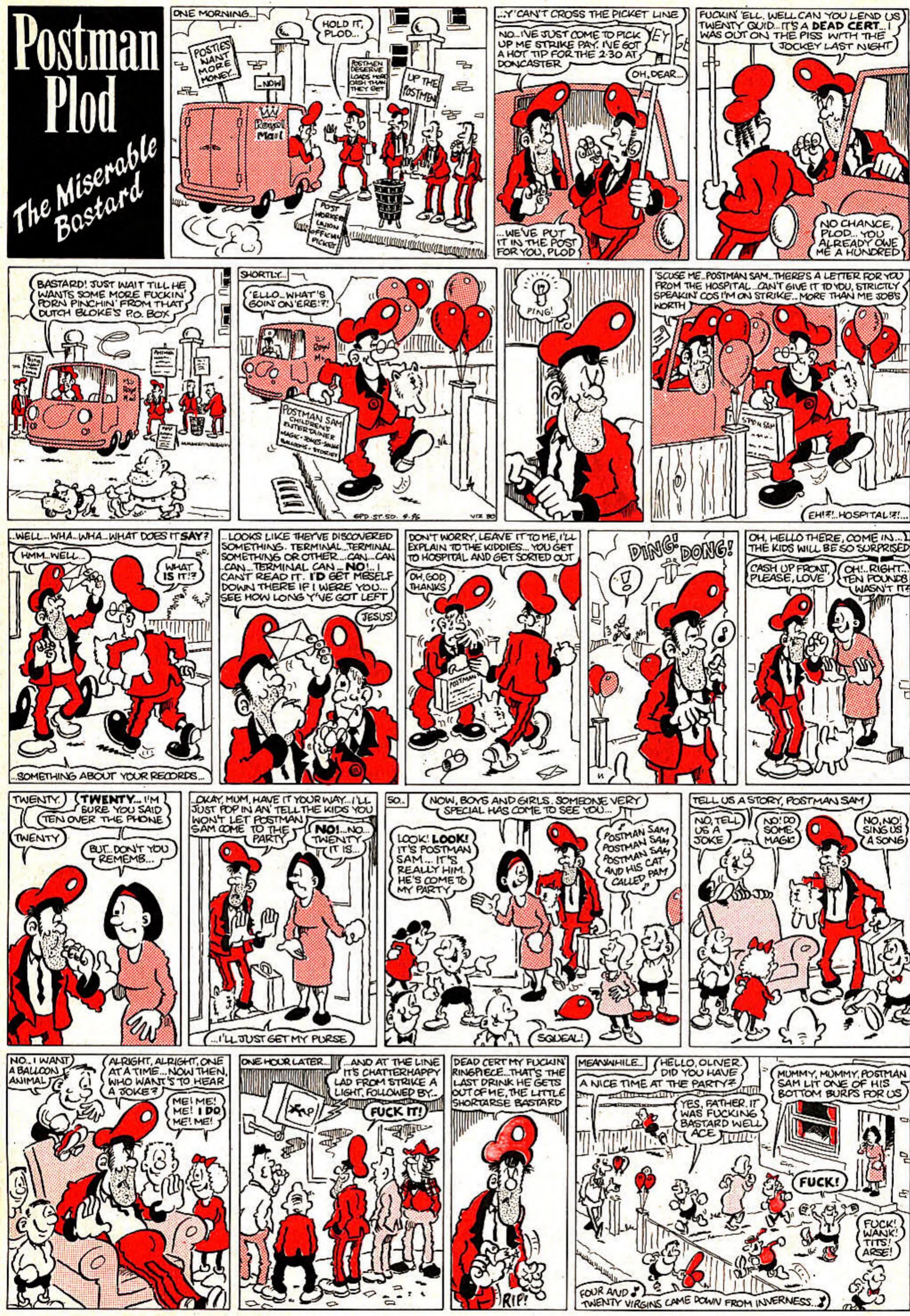
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